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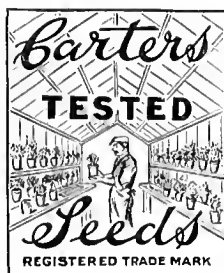


James Barter & Co.

1912

RAYNES PARK.
LONDON, S.W.

SPECIAL ANNOUNCEMENT.



It is gratifying to be able to announce that our progressive business has again enabled us to extend our premises. Established in the year 1836 by the founder of the firm, the late James Carter, at 237, High Holborn, it became necessary in course of time to provide enlarged premises to keep pace with the then extending business, when a capacious warehouse was built on the South Side of High Holborn. Towards the close of the last century the commodious block at No. 97, High Holborn, on the North Side, was taken over by our Firm, the frontage of which will be familiar to many of our Customers. Now again the exigencies of an increasing business have rendered it necessary to make greater provision still, and the restriction of space in the centre of London has led us to erect specially designed buildings fitted with our own patent cleaning machinery at **RAYNES PARK**, in the South West of London. The specially designed buildings (1910-11), to which have been added (1911-12) Laboratories, Kitchens, Dining and Recreation Halls, are surrounded by the necessary grounds to conduct our experimental work in selecting, standardising, and Testing Seeds, which is such an essential part of our business.

We cannot issue this notice without adding an expression of our keen appreciation of the long-continued patronage of our Customers and grateful thanks for their many recommendations, without which such an extension of our business could not have taken place.

Please address all communications to:

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"CARTER, LONDON."

James Carter & Co

Seedsmen to His Majesty the King,

RAYNES PARK,

LONDON, S.W.

Telephone Nos. 1100)
" 1101) Post Office, Wimbledon.
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Branches.—For the convenience of our Customers calling in London, we maintain our shop supplies of Everything for the Garden at

237 & 238, HIGH HOLBORN, W.C.

Telephone 332 Holborn.

53a, QUEEN VICTORIA ST., E.C.

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Carters Nurseries: Houston Road, Forest Hill, S.E.

Telephone 88 Sydenham.

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Seedsman to
The Indian
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Seedsman by Royal Warrant to
HIS MAJESTY KING GEORGE V.,
HER MAJESTY QUEEN ALEXANDRA,
and the following Royal and Reigning Houses.



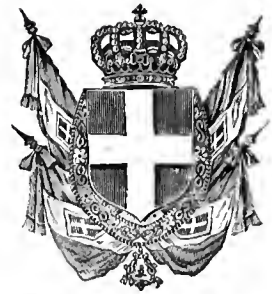
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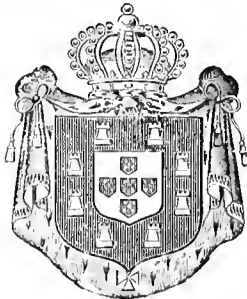
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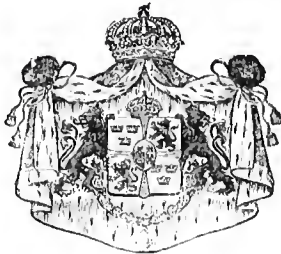
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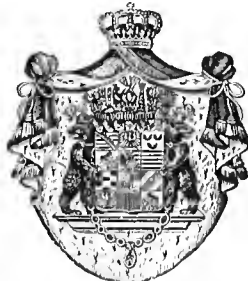
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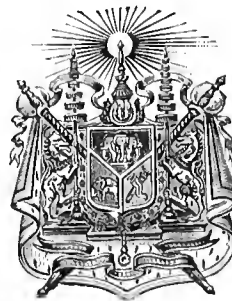
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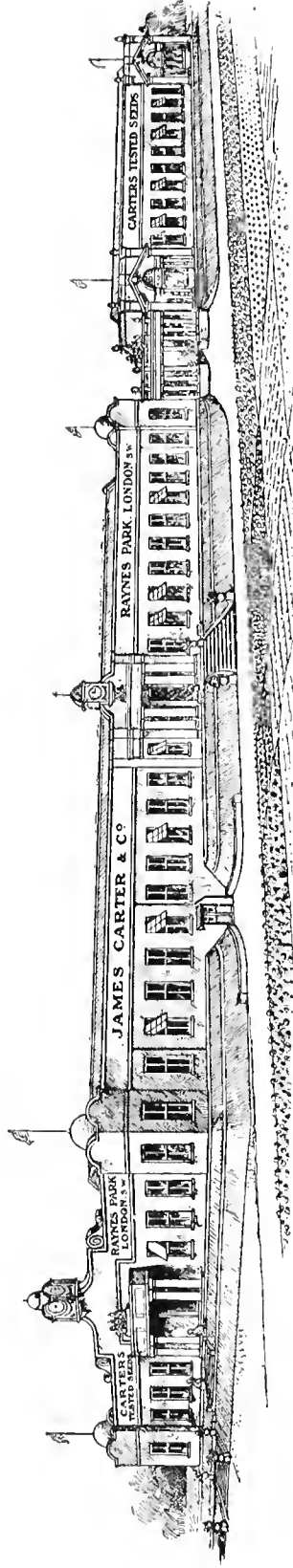
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Order du Morite Agricole,
France, 1889.



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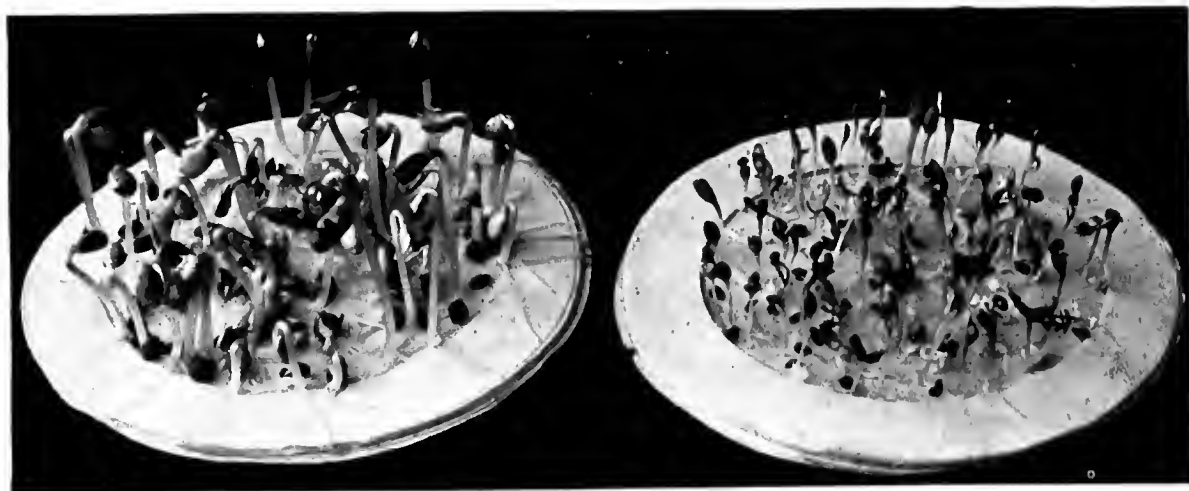
280 FEET—ERECTED 1911-1912.

From the above illustration of our Raynes Park Establishment it will be seen that we have largely extended the building to the right. The new accommodation includes Seed Testing Laboratories, Kitchens and Dining Halls, Photographic Studios, &c., &c., also more commodious packing and despatch offices.

The largely increased accommodation will greatly facilitate prompt attention to all correspondence and orders.

We again draw attention to the following points—

ON THE RAISING, GROWING, CLEANSING, AND TESTING OF SEEDS.



FIRST GERMINATION OF
CARTERS CHALLENGER BALSAM.

FIRST GERMINATION OF
CARTERS HOLBORN STANDARD LETTUCE.

The prominence we have given to our Trade Mark "Tested Seeds" over so long a period has repeatedly given rise to the question, "What do you mean by 'Tested Seeds'?" Believing that the raising, growing, testing, &c., of Seeds will be a matter of interest to our Customers, we take this opportunity of giving an illustrated explanation of some of the methods that were employed leading up to the introduction to the gardening world of such well-known Peas as TELEPHONE, STRATAGEM, DAISY, MICHAELMAS, ANTICIPATION, MAYFLOWER, HARVESTMAN, INTERNATIONAL, QUITE CONTENT, &c., &c., a process which frequently involves seven to eight years of patient observation and labour before a new introduction can be placed with confidence before the attention of our Customers.

We have selected culinary Peas as our illustration because they are more easily identified in a photograph, but analogous methods have to be pursued in the improvement of all varieties of Vegetables and Flowers, a work which we have made—and still continue to make—a special feature of our business. Indeed, it is now a matter of history that our House has been responsible for some of the most important improvements in Vegetables and Flowers far too numerous to mention here.

Let us assume that one of our Experts has observed a promising seedling, produced from cross-fertilisation the previous year in our experimental grounds: its merits and characteristics are carefully noted in our Garden Registers. Possibly it may produce an extraordinarily large pod, like QUITE CONTENT, or it may be earlier, later, taller, more prolific and compact, &c., than any other variety shown in our comparative trials to be in commerce.

The produce of the plant is then carefully harvested and sown the following spring, when it again goes through the same routine, may be for six or seven years, to secure constancy and fixation of its special characteristics; the produce by this time may have increased to several bushels, when it is ready to be sown for a crop. Ground that is particularly suited to the variety is carefully selected, and the Seed is sown. In the early summer, when the plants are in maturity, our Experts, who have watched the character of the Pea ever since it was a seedling in our experimental grounds, examine every plant, eliminating any that show a weakness or lack of uniformity; the crop is then harvested, stacked and threshed, and eventually comes to our warehouse to be cleaned, hand-picked, and finally tested for germination. The subsequent processes of testing, &c., we have pleasure in illustrating with notes on the next pages.

A view of some of our seventy-five Cleaning and Pea-picking Machines, all driven by electric motors.



Number ten is familiarly called in our warehouse the "Dreadnought," and stands sixteen feet in height.

No weed, however nimble, or light seed can possibly escape its vigilance; it is fed by an electric elevator, and its duties are exacting.

In the first instance the seed travels into a large drum at the top of the machine, and is brushed by rapidly revolving specially prepared lambs' skins, all small portions of husk and earth that may adhere to the seeds at the time of harvesting being removed. The Seed then descends by gravitation (when all dirt, dust, and light seeds are drawn away by forced draught) on to sieves which, by an eccentric movement, take out all the "smalls." The whole combination is driven by a powerful electric motor, which also gathers the dust from and around the machine by suction, ready to be carted away and destroyed.

The Peas are now cleaned and graded, but some are stained or injured by inclement weather or by the attacks of insects, which probably weakens their germination; these must be picked out by hand.



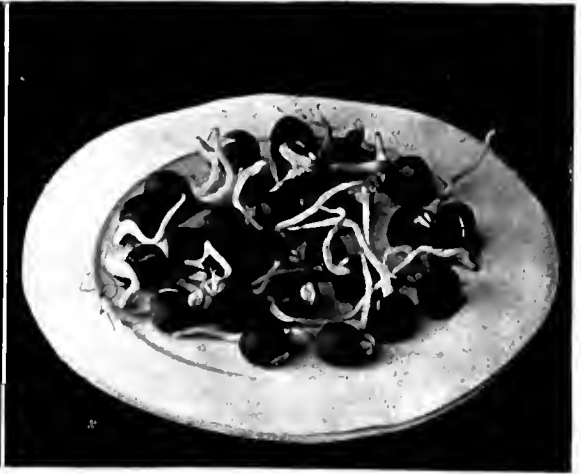
Picking Garden Peas by Hand.

Carters Address for all
Correspondence, RAYNES PARK, LONDON, S.W.—1912.

The founder of our Firm, JAMES CARTER was, we believe, the first to guarantee the germination of his Garden Seeds seventy-six years ago; the practice as amplified in the following illustrations is still conducted annually by our Firm.



1ST TEST.—Garden Peas germinating on warm moist felt.



Carters Large-flowered Sweet Peas germinating on specially prepared paper.



2ND TEST.—Garden Peas being germinated in mould.

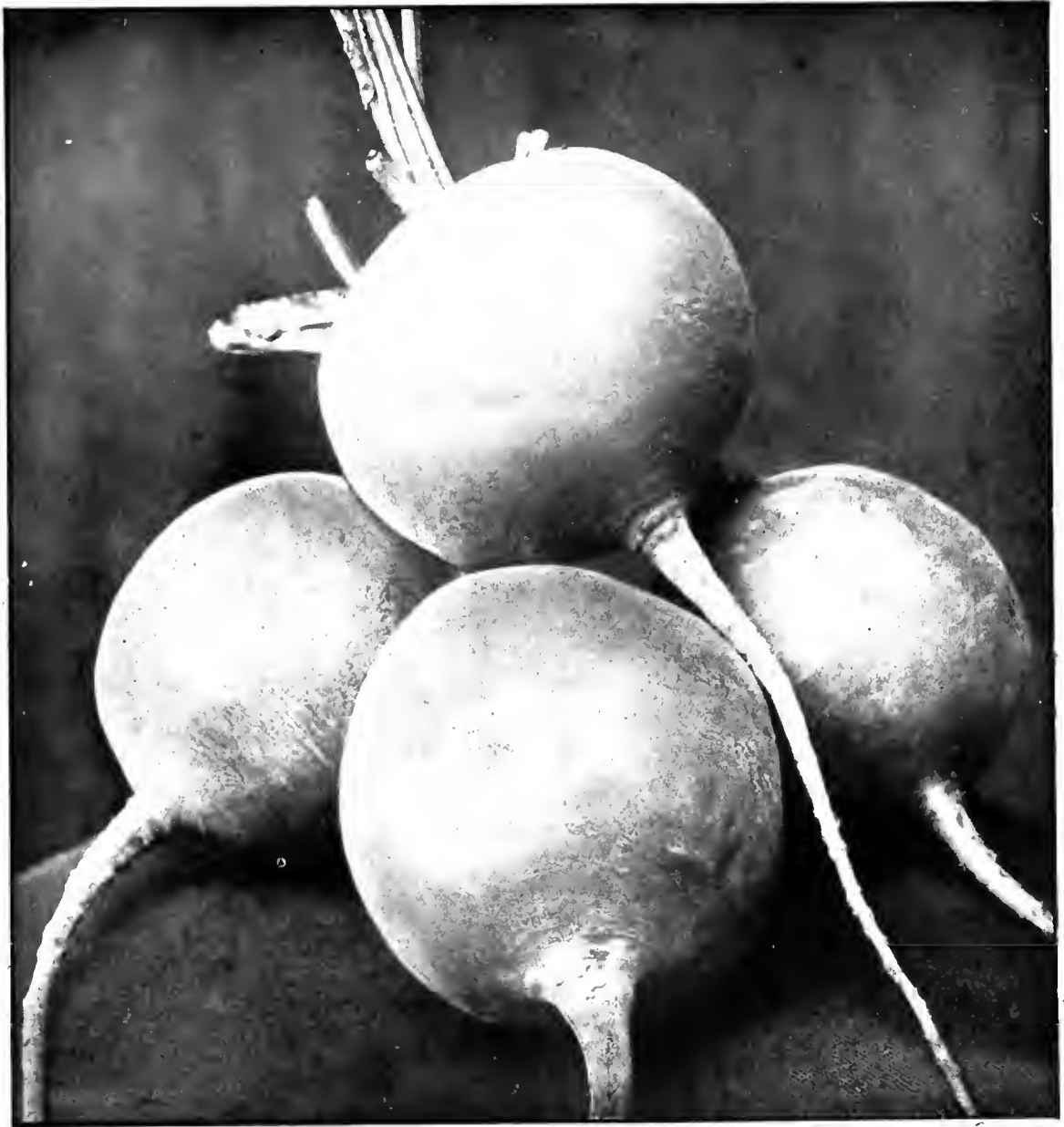
Garden Peas placed for testing germination on fibre.

Peas growing at the same time as our Customers grow them, to full maturity, so that we may assure ourselves of the quality and truthness of each variety. By examining our trials from time to time we know exactly how the produce of our Seeds should appear in the



THE LAST TEST.—Growing to maturity in our experimental gardens.

gardens of our Customers all over the World, making allowances for the various climates, and by the aid of our comparative tests (we try all British and Continental Seeds of repute) we assure ourselves that our Customers are growing "the best and only the best" and "Tested."



CARTERS CRIMSON BALL BEET.

A ROUND SUMMER VARIETY.

The Roots are ready for use in the Summer Salads.

Carters Crimson Ball (*see Photograph*).—Round Beets are of the greatest value on account of earliness. The roots can be lifted during the height of the summer season when salads are in demand; and the fresh taste imparted by the highly-coloured slices are considered preferable to those from stored roots. The old-fashioned flat types were never in favour with cooks, because of their weak colour and stringy texture. In Carters *Crimson Ball* these defects have been remedied. 33 First Prizes reported last season.

We were awarded the First Class Certificate, R.H.S., for this fine Beet.

Price **1s. and 6d.** per packet; **1s. 6d.** per ounce.

Fine specimens of this variety have been exhibited in Gold Medal Collections during the past few seasons.

Carters Seedsmen by Appointment to His Majesty the King—High Holborn, London.



Carters Perfection (*see Photograph*).—We have again re-selected our *Perfection* Beet, which is now a perfect and refined root. The best long Beet in cultivation; medium size, rich crimson lake colour, and splendid flavour; foliage shining and dark. Pronounced by the Royal Horticultural Society to be “perfection,” and awarded First Prize at the Great Autumn Vegetable Exhibition, 1905.

43 First Prizes reported last season.

Price **1s.** and **6d.** per packet; **1s. 6d.** per ounce.

BEET.—*Continued.*

Carters Dainty.—This is a small growing variety of more than ordinary merit, having long slender roots of a splendid deep crimson colour, and of the finest flavour possible; in naming it *Dainty*, we wish to convey the extremely refined quality of this variety; it does not attain to the size of our *Perfection* (see page 7).

Price **1s. 6d.** per ounce; **6d.** and **1s.** per packet.

Ornamental Foliaged Beet.—An interesting species for decoration in the flower garden. The thick fleshy ribs are beautifully coloured either yellow, crimson, cream, or white, and the contrast with the shining green leafage is very effective.

Price **6d.** and **1s.** per packet.

Croton-leaved Beet.—A decided acquisition to the group of decorative Beets, the long, narrow, crimson-bronze leaves having an elegant appearance. For the ribbon border, or as a pot plant for table decoration, it is effective. The roots are edible.

Price **6d.** and **1s.** per packet.

Seakale Beet.—An improved type of a delicious vegetable, in reality a Beet in which cultivation has developed the leaves instead of the root. It is sown at the same season as Beetroot in April, in rows about 18 inches apart, and the plants thinned out to 15 inches apart. At the end of summer they may be lifted as required, the green portion of the leaves cut off and the fleshy stems boiled and served with sauce, like Seakale.

Price **6d.** and **1s.** per packet.

		Per pkt. s. d.	Per oz. s. d.
Carters Blood Red. —A very fine variety, with well-shaped roots of splendid deep colour and of good flavour	... .. 6d. &	1 0	1 3
Carters Improved Dark Red. —Excellent quality...	... .. 0 6	1 0	
Carters Flower Garden. —Dark bronze purple, graceful foliage, effective for bedding	... .. 0 6	1 0	
Carters St. Osyth. —A heavy root of high colour; excellent flavour	... .. 0 6	1 0	
Brazilian. —Grown for its handsome ornamental foliage	... .. 3d. &	0 6	0 9
Cattell's Dwarf Red. —Long variety of good colour, leaves of rich hue, and dwarf habit...	... .. 3d. &	0 6	0 10
Dell's Dark-Leaved. —Splendid deep rich coloured root, leaves of dark and glossy appearance	... .. 3d. &	0 6	1 0
Egyptian Turnip-Rooted. —Good stock; useful for shallow soils	... .. 3d. &	0 6	0 9
Silver (Edible-leaved).—Midrib may be used as Seakale	... .. 3d. &	0 6	1 0
Spinach (Edible-leaved).—Leaves thrown up in profusion, and largely used as a substitute for Spinach	... .. 3d. &	0 6	0 10
Cheltenham Green Top. —Green leaves, with fine bright red roots	... .. 3d. &	0 6	0 10
Nutting's Dwarf Red. —Long root of deep colour	... .. 3d. &	0 6	1 0
Pineapple Short Top. —A good variety, medium-sized roots, leaves of dwarf habit	... .. 3d. &	0 6	0 10
Carters Long Red. —Rich in colour and flavour	... .. 3d. &	0 6	0 9
Carters Round. —A good early Beet	... .. 3d. &	0 6	0 9

The Cultivation of Beet.—The round varieties required for early use should be sown under cover in February. The main crop should be sown the last week in April on ground that has been well trenched and manured. Let the rows be about 18 inches apart, thin them to allow about 9 inches between the plants, and keep the soil well-stirred with the hoe during summer.

Carters Seedsmen by Appointment to His Majesty the King—High Holborn, London.

BROAD BEANS.

WHITE-SEEDED VARIETIES.



CARTERS NEW COLOSSAL WINDSOR BEAN.

Carters New Colossal Windsor Bean.—This immense Bean is, both in pod and seed, by far the largest Broad Bean ever raised. It was selected at our trial grounds, being the result of a cross made in 1905 between the old-fashioned *Harlington Windsor* and *Carters Leviathan* and is a certain prize winner. The seed is of abnormal size.

NOVELTY.

Price 2s. 6d. per quart; 1s. 6d. per pint.

	Per quart—s. d.	
Carters Mammoth Windsor. —The longest podded Windsor Bean in existence, and the finest for exhibition. The pods of this superb strain often contain as many as five and six gigantic beans. A grand selection	1s. 3d. per pint	2 0
Carters Market Garden Windsor. —Very superior to the ordinary type, having a white eye which makes it a great acquisition, giving it a much nicer appearance when cooked than the ordinary varieties. The eye retains its white colour to the last	1s. 3d. per pint	2 0
Carters Improved Windsor. —Large and productive, bushy habit, well podded from top to bottom of stem... ..	...	1 6
Carters Mammoth Longpod. —A decided improvement upon the <i>Early Longpod</i> . Sent out originally by us, and awarded the First Class Certificate, R.H.S.	1s. 3d. per pint	2 0
Seville Giant Longpod. —Distinct and handsome, 18 inches high, with pods often 12 inches in length. First Class Certificate, R.H.S. ... ..	...	1 6
Carters Broad Bean. —Selected for length of pod and productiveness... ..	...	1 6
Aquadulce Longpod. —Early and long-podded ... ..	...	1 6
Johnson's Wonderful. —One of the oldest long-podded varieties ... ..	...	1 0
Minster Giant Longpod. —An old favourite, of good habit and appearance ... ..	...	1 0
Monarch Longpod. —Useful for general crop; pods of moderate length ... ..	...	1 0
Royal Dwarf Fan or Cluster-headed. —Early, dwarf, and good flavour ... ..	...	1 0
Early Longpod. —Robust habit; pods well ... ..	...	0 9
Early Mazagan. —One of the earliest; small pods... ..	...	0 9

Carters Address for all Correspondence, RAYNES PARK, LONDON, S.W.—1912.

CARTERS LEVIATHAN BROAD BEAN.

(WHITE SEEDED.)

A champion Exhibition variety.

57 First Prizes reported by customers last season.

We continue to re-select this well-known Broad Bean, the seeds being carefully saved from the finest pods taken from the most prolific plants, so that our customers may feel that they are growing really the very finest Broad Bean in cultivation. It cannot be excelled for Table or Exhibition.

Price **2s. 6d.** per quart.

1s. 6d. per pint.

Leviathan Broad Bean.

We live in an age of leviathans, and the name given the above Bean by its introducers, Messrs. Carter & Co., of High Holborn, is thoroughly descriptive of what a trial here this season has proved to be. Sown the middle of February, on the same date and under the same conditions as two other well-known varieties usually acknowledged by kitchen gardeners to be the best of this class, it came in an easy first not only in size of pod, but also in the matter of earliness and continuous bearing. It certainly outclassed its rivals, commencing to yield pods large enough for cooking early in July, and it was from the same row we picked our latest dish on August 10th. I feel sure a trial of this variety will not fail to give satisfactory returns.—F. R. CASTLE.—*The Gardener*, September 11th, 1909.

POD OF CARTERS LEVIATHAN BEAN—REDUCED IN SIZE

The Cultivation of Broad Beans.—Early Mazagan and Dwarf Fan Beans may be planted in November, and a second sowing made in February, the rows being about 15 inches apart; to be followed by the Long-Podded and Windsor varieties to secure a succession. The later sorts should be about 6 inches from plant to plant, and 3 feet from row to row. This crop succeeds best on deep rich soil in an exposed position. On light and dry soils it generally gets attacked by the black blight and spoils. When the points suffer from this pest it becomes imperative to pinch them out and burn them.

Carters Seedsmen by Appointment to His Majesty the King—High Holborn, London.

BROAD BEANS.—*Continued.*

Carters Green Leviathan (Green Seeded).

THE ROYAL HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY, reporting its trials at Wisley, says:—"Pods of great length, and one of the best of the long pod section; good crop."

We introduced this fine Bean as a fitting companion to its prototype, Carters *Leviathan* (*White Seeded*). When we state that the Bean we now offer carries pods of equally enormous proportions, and has the additional advantage of a beautiful green colour which is retained when cooked, its merits will be at once recognised. Its flavour is most mellow and delicious.

Price 2s. 6d. per quart, 1s. 6d. per pint.

GREEN-SEEDED VARIETIES.

Per quart—s. d.

Carters Harlington Green Windsor.—

A distinct and valuable Green selection from an old favourite variety. These Green Beans are preferred by many on account of their colour when sent to table 1 6

Carters Masterpiece Longpod.—An

exhibition Green Longpod Bean. It combines all the best properties of a first-class Broad Bean, and possesses the fine quality and flavour of the Green over the White Bean. It is most prolific, a great part of the pods hanging in pairs 1 6

Beck's Dwarf Green Gem.—Early and prolific 1 3

Green Nonpareil.—Fine cropper, of good flavour 1 3

Green Windsor.—Large beans, of fine colour ... 1 3

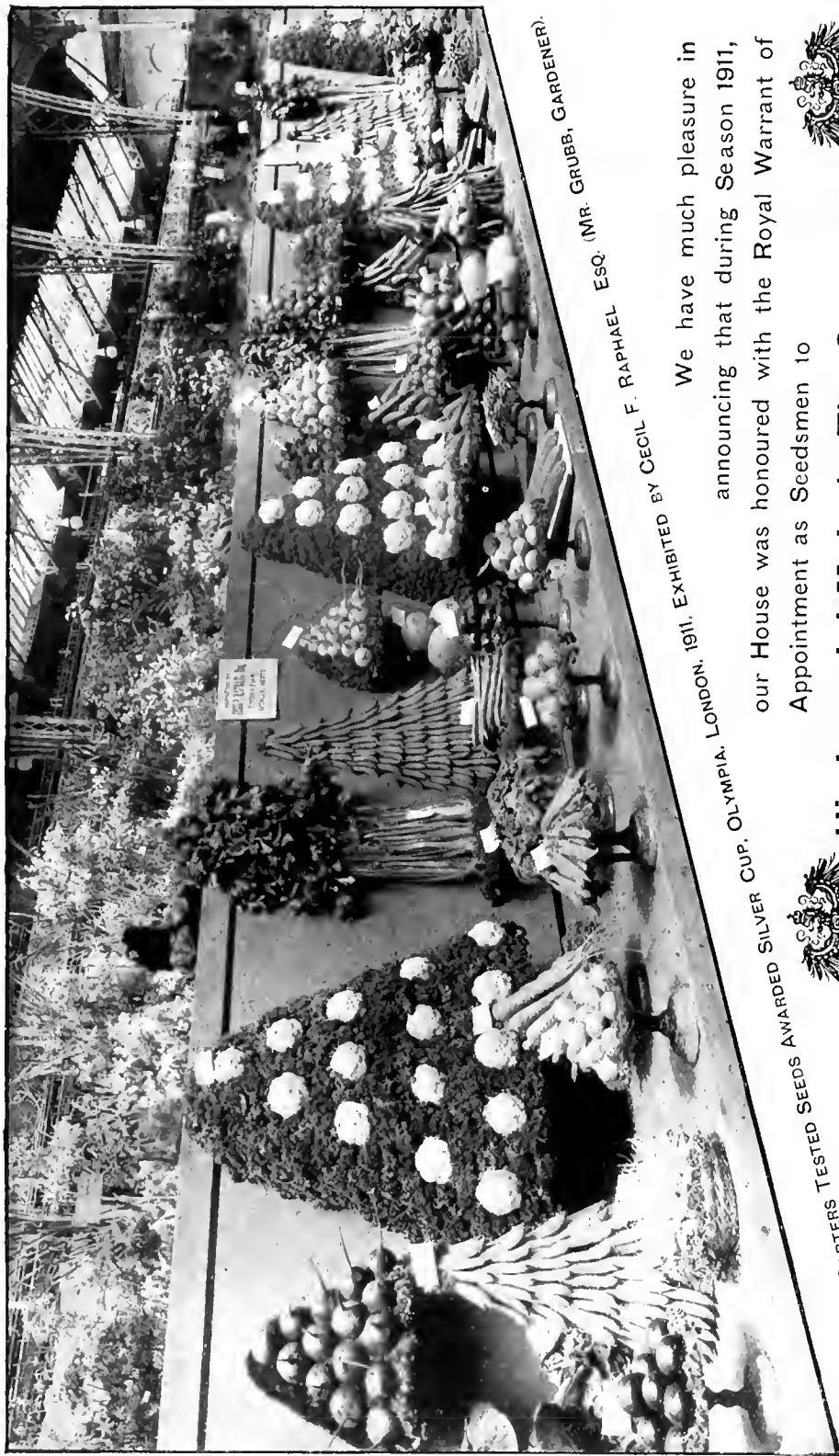
Green Longpod.—Large podded and productive ... 0 10

CARTERS COLLECTIONS OF BROAD BEANS.

	s.	d.
6 quarts of Broad Beans, in 6 best sorts, for succession ...	8	0
6 pints of Broad Beans, in 6 best sorts, for succession ...	4	0
3 pints of Broad Beans, in 3 best sorts, for succession ...	2	6



CARTERS GREEN LEVIATHAN. REDUCED PHOTO.



VEGETABLES FROM CARTERS TESTED SEEDS AWARDED SILVER CUP. OLYMPIA, LONDON, 1911. EXHIBITED BY CECIL F. RAPHAEL ESQ. (MR. GRUBB, GARDENER).

We have much pleasure in
announcing that during Season 1911,
our House was honoured with the Royal Warrant of
Appointment as Seedsmen to

His Imperial Majesty The German Emperor and King of Prussia



whose Gardens it has been our privilege to supply with Seeds for many years.

Our House during 1910-11 has been awarded **Five Gold Medals, Two Silver Cups, Three Silver Gilt Medals, and Seven Silver Medals,**

and we are happy to state that our Customers have reported, from all parts of the World, thousands of Prizes gained with the produce of Carters Tested Seeds.

CARTERS JULY CLIMBING FRENCH BEAN, WITH STRINGLESS PODS.

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CARTERS JULY CLIMBING FRENCH BEAN.

We had the pleasure to bring to the notice of our customers a climbing stringless variety, which we strongly recommended, and we have no reason to alter the opinion expressed then. It bears round pods so freely produced that we have counted as many as forty on a stalk. It holds well to the sticks and is the earliest Bean we know. THE ROYAL HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY reporting its trials at Wisley, says :— " Carters *July Climbing* French Bean. Flower white, height 3 feet, foliage dark green ; pods long, thin, straight, averaging 6 inches in length, usually in pairs ; good crop ; pods stringless."

"An early fruiting Climbing French Bean. The pods are thick, medium sized, and very like the excellent Butter Beans in form. Not in July alone, but it keeps on fruiting over quite a long season, and is as good now in September as it was at first. The actual bean is very small, and the pods keep tender longer than any variety I have tried."—Mr. J. C. TALLACK, Head Gardener to E. M. MUNDY, Esq.

Price 4s. per quart ;
2s. 6d. per pint.

CARTERS CLIMBING FRENCH BEAN SUCCESSOR.

A large-podded Climbing French Bean, selected from our *Ten Weeks*. It is superior to that variety as the pods are almost half as long again, and very delicate eating. It comes in after our *July Climbing*, hence the name *Successor*.

Price 4s. per quart ; 2s. 6d. per pint.

Carters Re-selected Climbing French Beans.

A highly selected stock ; being more prolific, and of very robust habit.

Price 3s. 6d. per quart ; 2s. per pint.

Carters Ten-weeks Climbing French Beans.

Price 4s. per quart ; 2s. 6d. per pint.

Ordinary Climbing French Beans, 1s. 6d. per pint.

Hints on Culture.—Sow in pots under glass wherever wanted, transplant in prepared beds for training, or grow on in larger pots. For outdoor culture they must not be sown until May is well in—very similar to Scarlet Runners, only that they do not grow quite so robust and do not need such tall stakes.



CARTERS PERPETUAL DWARF FRENCH BEAN.

AWARD OF MERIT ROYAL HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY.

This remarkable bean is strongly recommended as being in every way a great acquisition; it is of very compact growth, the foliage of an attractive dark green, and the pods are of medium size; the most important feature is the prolonged period this variety continues to bear, and its remarkable quality for withstanding hot and dry seasons. Pods were picked in our gardens earlier than other varieties, and young tender beans were gathered after most other sorts were quite finished, notwithstanding the drought this past summer.

We exhibited about 50 pots of French Beans at an early August meeting of the R.H.S., the most favourably discussed variety being Carters Perpetual shown under Seedling No. 249.

The Right Hon. Viscount Midleton's Head Gardener says: "New Seedling Dwarf Bean No. 249. This variety had extra strong haulm, very dark green, pods long, thin, very straight, and a very heavy cropper."—Mr. QUAINTON, The Gardens, Peper Harrow Park, Godalming.

Price 2s. 6d. per pint; 1s. per packet

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DWARF FRENCH BEANS.

Carters Stringless Dwarf French Bean, Holborn Wonder.—The great success which has attended our introduction of the first stringless Green-podded Bean, Carters *Canadian Glory*, has encouraged us to pursue our efforts in selecting stringless Beans for general use. Our *Holborn Wonder* will be found to be free from threads, is quite distinct and very prolific, and we confidently recommend it.

Price 3s. 6d. per quart, 2s. per pint, 1s. per packet.



CARTERS IMPROVED LONGSWORD FRENCH BEAN.

Carters Stringless Dwarf French Bean, Canadian Glory.—An *Extra Early* Dwarf Green-podded French Bean, possessing the invaluable quality of bearing pods absolutely without strings or threads. It is equally valuable eaten as a *Flageolet* or *Haricot*, as on the Continent.

Price 3s. 6d. per quart, 2s. per pint, 1s. per packet.

Carters Canadian Wonder.—

We were one of the first to make the merits of this fine dwarf Bean known, and its popularity to-day is probably unequalled. Our stock is the finest obtainable, and produces an abundance of very long fleshy pods, making it a great favourite both for table and exhibition.

28 First Prizes reported by Customers last year.

Price 2s. per quart, 1s. 3d. per pint

Carters Improved Longsword.

—This is a variety which we can recommend either for forcing or for general use. It is very prolific and early, pods of good length, and of very delicate texture.

Price 3s. per quart, 1s. 9d. per pint.

	Per quart—s. d.					
Carters White Advancer. —First Class Certificate	2 0
Canadian Wonder. —Ordinary variety	1 3
Early Prolific. —Very productive	1 0
Early Pale Dun. —Pods very tender	1 0
Monster Long-podded Negro. —A decided advance on the ordinary variety, bearing larger and thicker pods; a fine cropper	1 9
Negro Longpod. —Prolific and useful	1 3
Ne Plus Ultra. —Good for general use	2 0
Osborn's Early Forcing. —One of the best	1 3
Sir Joseph Paxton. —Pods broad	1 6
Sion House Improved. —Early and productive	1 6
White Canterbury. —Heavy cropper	2 0

The Cultivation of French Beans.—Sow in pots under glass for forcing from December to April, and about May in the open borders, followed by two or three successional sowings at intervals of a fortnight. The rows ought to be from 2 feet to 2 feet 6 inches apart, and the plants thinned to about 1 foot apart. They are rather delicate, and should not be sown out of doors until the warm weather sets in.

ALL SEEDS CARRIAGE FREE.

FIVE PER CENT. DISCOUNT FOR CASH PAYMENTS.

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CARTERS "RED GIANT" RUNNER BEAN.

THE LARGEST AND LONGEST PODDED RUNNER BEAN.

The largest giant podded Runner Bean ever introduced. This grand variety was offered by us three years ago as being even longer podded than our famous *Scarlet Emperor*; in consequence we had a great demand, and below we give a few of the opinions sent to us from various parts of the country. We are confident that, once grown, other varieties will speedily be displaced, as *Red Giant* is not only the largest podded but also the most prolific and early variety in commerce. We must, however, point out that it is not quite so smooth skinned as our *Scarlet Emperor*.

Price 3s. per pint, 1s. per packet.

The Right Hon. The Earl of Galloway's Head Gardener says:—"Runner Bean, Carters *Red Giant*. This undoubtedly will prove to be an advance upon existing varieties. Sown in the open the produce was gathered the middle of August. Without special culture many of the pods were 10 inches in length, were straight and slender and rough to the touch, so characteristic of quality and fine appearance."—Mr. JAMES DAY, The Gardens, Garlieston, Wigtownshire.

The Right Hon. The Earl of Jersey's Head Gardener says:—"Runner Bean *Red Giant*. A wonderful fine bean, fine long pods which grow in very large clusters. I think will make a good show bean, being a lovely colour and growing so quickly and so straight. It has been thought a lot of here by all who have seen it. I intend growing more of it next year than this, as I consider it the best bean out at the present time. I think it has a grand future in front of it."—Mr. A. W. PERRY, The Gardens, Middleton Park, Bicester, Oxon.

The Right Hon. The Earl of Mansfield's Head Gardener says:—"Red Giant *Scarlet Runner Bean*. This is a fine bean, has done exceedingly well here, of enormous size and free bearing, and first-class quality."—Mr. W. WARD, The Gardens.

The Right Hon. The Earl of Onslow's Head Gardener says:—"Carters *Red Giant*. I consider this bean equal to anything on the market. It produces handsome pods fit for exhibition, is a very heavy cropper, and its table qualities are first class."—Mr. H. W. BLAKE, The Gardens, Clandon Park, Guildford.

The Right Hon. The Earl of Sandwich's Head Gardener says:—"A prodigious cropper, good dark green pods from 12 to 14 inches in length. I have never seen any to equal them; a good exhibition bean."—Mr. F. HANSFORD, The Gardens, Hooke Court, Beaumister, Dorset.

The Right Hon. Viscount Midleton's Head Gardener says:—"Red Giant *Runner Bean*. This fine *Runner Bean* has again this season proved its worth and kept its already high standard as a very fine setter and heavy cropper. The clusters have been very large and pods handsome, being very straight, many measuring 14 inches long. It is much larger than *Scarlet Emperor* and the tenderness of the pods is most noticeable, and I have no hesitation in saying that it is a most remarkable bean of recent introduction."—Mr. QUANTON, The Gardens, Peper Harrow Park, Godalming.

Lady Wantage's Head Gardener says:—"Red Giant *Runner Bean* is conspicuous under ordinary cultivation amongst the best known varieties, including *Scarlet Emperor*, with pods 13 and 14 inches long; to all appearance seedless and as brittle as ice."—Mr. WM. FYFE, The Gardens, Lockinge Park, Wantage, Berks.

The Right Hon. W. H. Long's Head Gardener says:—"In Carters *Red Giant* there is an advance hitherto unattained in beans, both in regard to size of pod and attendant freedom. It is without doubt the exhibitor's 'stand by.'"—Mr. W. STRUGNELL, The Gardens, Rood Ashton, Trowbridge.

Sir Edmund Loder's Head Gardener says:—"Carters *Red Giant Runner Bean* has proved all I said of it last year, and this season it has been really better than last year, and it is becoming a popular favourite with all who grow for exhibition and require a good basket-filling bean at home."—Mr. W. A. COOK, The Gardens, Leonardslee, Horsham.

Sir Charles E. Hamilton's Head Gardener says:—"Carters *Red Giant Runner Bean*. This bean is most prolific and of strong constitution. The flavour and tenderness of the pods are unequalled. It is a most suitable variety to grow for exhibition work."—Mr. T. A. BIRKINSHAW, The Gardens, Hatley Park, Sandy, Beds.

Admiral Brand's Head Gardener says:—"Having grown your *Emperor* for several seasons, I considered I had the best on the market, but *Red Giant* goes one better. It is a strong grower, very free in bunching, and the crop averaging 1 foot in length with many individual pods 15 inches; this without in any way thinning the crop. It is truly a marvel, pods as straight as a rule, a fine bean for the exhibition table."—Mr. W. BACK, The Gardens, Glynde Place, Lewes, Sussex.

Carters Seedsmen by Appointment to His Majesty the King—11, Holborn, London.



*Much
Reduced
in Size.*

The
**LONGEST
and
LARGEST
PODDED
BEAN.**

CARTERS Mammoth "RED GIANT" Scarlet Runner Bean.

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CARTERS SCARLET EMPEROR

THE LONG SMOOTH-



389 First Prizes
reported by
Customers
throughout the
country.

CARTERS *Scarlet Emperor* has fully maintained its great reputation; one enthusiastic gardener shows it to a neighbour and so its popularity increases each season, and our sales of this striking novelty have more than doubled each year. From our observations and the reports that we have received *Carters Scarlet Emperor* has been well represented and much discussed at exhibitions all over Great Britain.

Price 3s. per pint; 1s. per packet.

His Grace The Duke of Portland's Head Gardener says:—"I have given an extended trial to *Carters Scarlet Emperor* this season, and I am pleased to say that it has more than ever borne out the good opinion I had of it last season. It is a splendid cropper, with long narrow pods, with a splendid dark green colour. It also has much less of the coarse skin usual in Runner Beans."—Mr. JAMES GIBSON, The Gardens, Welbeck.

His Grace The Duke of Buccleuch's Head Gardener says:—"Carters *Scarlet Emperor* Bean is a strong grower, flowers very freely, and is promising well."—Mr. WHYTOCK, The Gardens, Dalkeith.

His Grace The Duke of Leeds' Head Gardener writes:—"Scarlet Emperor Runner Bean gave great satisfaction. It is a splendid Bean, and one of the first ready with us this year, and now (Oct. 19th), as I just looked through them, found a nice lot of good Beans fit for use."—Mr. J. NICOL, Hornby Castle Gardens, Bedale.

The Right Hon. The Earl of Eldon's Head Gardener says:—"I am more than pleased with your *Scarlet Emperor* Bean. I never saw anything like it before, it is exactly as you describe it in your catalogue."—Mr. J. KING, The Gardens, Shirley Park.

The Right Hon. The Earl of Jersey's Head Gardener says:—"Your *Scarlet Emperor* Runner Beans have done splendid. I have never seen any to equal them in height or size of pods; the best I know."—Mr. A. W. PERRY, The Gardens, Middleton Park, Bicester.

The Right Hon. The Earl of Lathom's Head Gardener says:—"Carters *Scarlet Emperor* Runner Beans are the most refined Bean for exhibition with which I am acquainted."—Mr. BEN ASHTON, The Gardens, Lathom House.

The Right Hon. The Earl of Sandwich's Head Gardener says:—"Scarlet Emperor has been magnificent, I gathered beans 12 inches long under ordinary treatment."—Mr. HANSFORD, The Gardens, Hooke Court, Beauminster.

The Right Hon. Lord Middleton's Head Gardener writes:—"Scarlet Emperor Runner has done exceedingly well; a heavy crop of very fine pods."—Mr. J. ANDERSON, Birdsall House Gardens, Yorks.

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RUNNER BEAN.

PODDED SCARLET RUNNER.



We again thank our Customers for the many kind letters of appreciation and reports of prize exhibits sent to us last autumn. Our stock is again highly selected and grown under our personal supervision, and we would warn our customers against the many substitutions now on the market.

Not only is this Bean of the utmost importance as a prize winner, but its smooth and tender texture places it far above all other scarlet runners. Its large, handsome pods, often measuring $15\frac{1}{2}$ inches, hang in great clusters, and it has been estimated that the produce from Carters *Scarlet Emperor* is twice as great in bulk as may be expected from the ordinary type of scarlet runner, and all of the most refined quality.

The Right Hon. Viscount Midleton's Head Gardener says:—"Scarlet Emperor Runner Bean. This variety has done wonderfully well again this year, and although such an adverse season, it has set better than ever, having very fine large clusters, with long, straight, handsome pods, measuring over 12 inches. For the exhibition stand it cannot be excelled, and should rank in the estimation of those who have come in contact with it as the finest bean in cultivation."—Mr. QUANTON, The Gardens, Peper Harrow Park, Godalming.

The Right Hon. Viscount Portman's Head Gardener says:—"Without doubt the finest Runner Bean ever introduced. It is a prodigious cropper, having straight pods from 12 to 15 inches in length, produced in abundance on each raceme."—Mr. PRINSEP, The Gardens, Buxted Park.

Sir Edmund Loder, Bart.'s Head Gardener says:—"A very fine variety which bears most profusely, and quite the finest Runner Bean. I have measured plenty 12 inches in length on stalks bearing a dozen beans. What would they be if thinned."—Mr. W. A. COOK, The Gardens, Leonardslee.

Sir Henry D. Ingleby, Bart.'s Head Gardener writes:—"Your *Scarlet Emperor* Runner Bean has done wonderfully well with me; it is very free setting and a good cropper. I have had a quantity of pods 14 and 15 inches long, and they have been quite tender right up to the last."—Mr. H. FOX, The Gardens, Ripley Castle, Yorks.

Admiral Walker's Head Gardener writes:—"Your Runner Bean, *Scarlet Emperor*, is indeed an eye opener. It was admired by all who saw it here, the attraction being the length of the pods, which were from 10 to 14 inches long, in bunches of six to eight pods, even in growth, good in colour, with a smoothness and an absence of curled-up pods not found in other sorts. Another recommendation is its long season in growth, I made my first gathering in July, and to-day (Oct. 19th) I gathered fine tender pods, when other sorts had finished a fortnight ago grown under the same conditions."—Mr. G. DAVISON, Beverley Hall Gardens, Yorks.

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RUNNER BEANS.—*Continued.*



105 FIRST PRIZES
REPORTED
BY CUSTOMERS.

THE FINEST WHITE SEEDED RUNNER BEAN GROWN.

Carters Jubilee Runner (*see Photograph—greatly reduced*).—This extraordinary Bean still remains one of the best. Carters *Jubilee Runner* produces an enormous crop of immense pods, which are thick and unusually fleshy, the flavour being all that is desired.

"I had a pint of *Jubilee Runner* Beans from you last year, and I must say I never had Runners yield like them. They hung in bunches like grapes, and lasted so long."—Mr. W. K. SAUNDERS, Kingston-on-Thames.

Price per quart, 3s. 6d. ; per pint, 2s.

Carters Holborn Masterpiece.—A very robust and hardy Bean of the *Cascknife* type.
Price per pint, 3s.

Carters Champion Scarlet Runner.—A great improvement upon the old type, producing a great profusion of large beans of splendid flavour.

Price per quart, 3s. 6d. ; per pint 2s.



4TH
PRIZE.

1ST PRIZE AND
SILVER CUP.

2ND
PRIZE.

3RD
PRIZE

Four fine Exhibits of Vegetables at Hitchin Show, 1911, grown from Carters Tested Seeds

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RUNNER BEANS—*Continued.*



CARTERS ELEPHANT RUNNER.

Showing type of fruiting cluster. Reduced in size.

The Cultivation of Runner Beans.—Runner Beans should be planted out of doors during May, followed by successional sowings at intervals of a fortnight; by this means an abundant supply is provided until the plants are destroyed by the autumn frosts. Care should be taken when planting that sufficient space is allowed between the rows (say 3 feet), and 12 inches from plant to plant in the rows, and the plants should be well watered in dry weather or the flowers will drop off. If slugs are troublesome during the young stage of growth, dust over with soot and lime.

Carters Elephant Runner (*see Photograph*).—A large handsome type with fleshy pods, very long, and borne in the greatest profusion; very popular.

Price 3s. 6d. per quart; 2s. per pint.

Per pint—s. d.

Champion Runner.—Original

stock Per quart 3s.; 1 5

Giant White Runner.—Pods of

good substance Per quart 1s. 6d.; 0 10

Girtford Giant.—Large podded ...

2 0

Mont d'Or Golden Butter.—

Early and very productive; the thick and fleshy pods of pale sulphur colour are quite stringless and very tender.

First Class Certificate, R.H.S. ... 3 6

Ne Plus Ultra.—Most prolific, bearing an abundance of very broad and fleshy pods 2 0

Painted Lady.—Distinct both in colour of seed and flower. A fine re-selected stock, bearing splendid large pods ... per quart, 2s. 6d.; 1 6

Scarlet Runner.—The old variety

Per quart, 1s. 9d.; 0 10

The Czar.—White seeded; bears a

profusion of large pods Per quart, 3s.; 1 9

White-seeded Scarlet Runner.

Fleshy pods. Per quart, 1s. 3d.

BORECOLE OR KALE.

CARTERS RUSSIAN KALE

(*Chou de Russie*).

Award of Merit and First Class Certificate after trial at Wisley, March 19th, 1907.

The only novel variety of Kale in the trial considered worthy of the award. No other Kale in the whole trial of 54 stocks received the First Class Certificate.

This distinct and extremely hardy variety stood the exceptionally severe winter better than any other variety grown; the leaves are very curious, in form somewhat resembling a deer's antler, of singularly thick substance, and of a peculiarly green colour.

When cooked this is the most delicious variety of Kale which we have ever tried, the young shoots especially being particularly delicate in flavour. Our opinion is endorsed by a well-known writer in the *Gardeners' Chronicle*, who says: "I have had the pleasure of tasting its sprouts cooked, and can verify the opinion passed upon it. It is exceptionally good."



CARTERS RUSSIAN KALE.

The Right Hon. Viscount Middleton's Head Gardener says:—"Foliage of a dark green nature, short and sturdy, producing large quantities of sprouts, when cooked are delicious. It stands the winter better than most of the better known kales, and should be grown everywhere."—Mr. QUANTON, The Gardens, Peper Harrow Park, Godalming.

Price 1s. and 1s. 6d. per packet.

CARTERS WELSH KALE.

A hardy variety of very handsome appearance; of medium height, the leaves are long and densely curled, but are more narrow than our *Half Tall* Scotch variety. The flavour is particularly good.

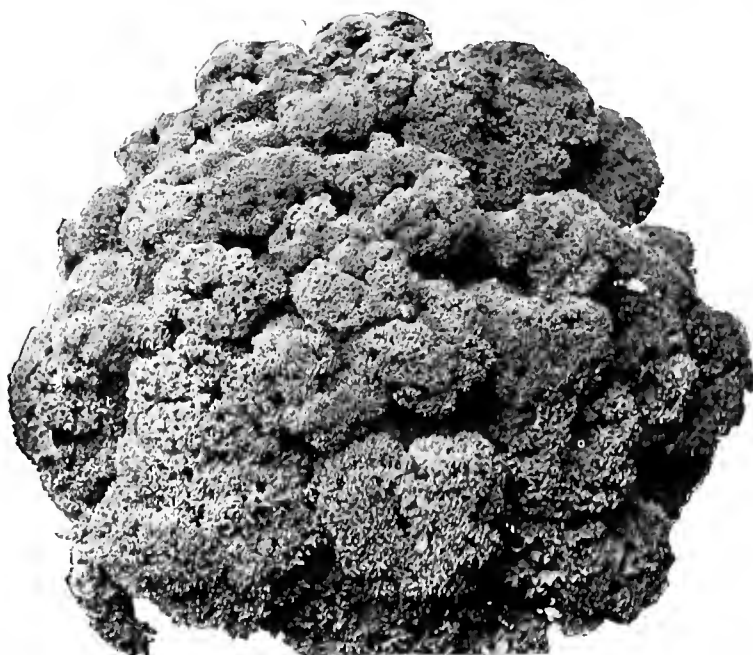
Price 1s. per packet.

"I took First Prize for nine *Record* Onions at Sutton Bridge, and a friend I let have some, took First Prize for twelve at Peterborough, autumn sown from one small packet."—Mr. T. DAKIN.

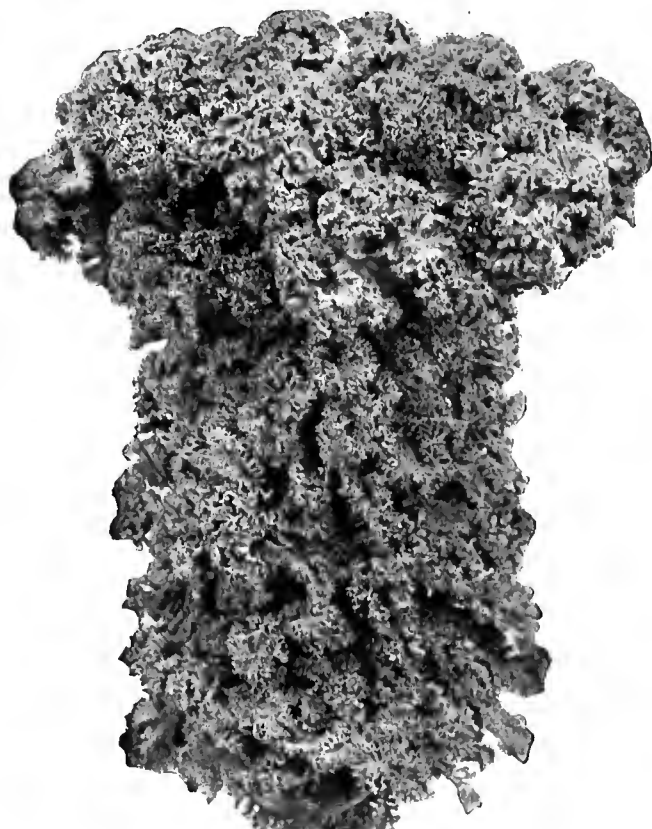


CARTERS WELSH KALE.

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CARTERS DWARF EXTRA CURLED KALE.



CARTERS HALF TALL SCOTCH KALE.

Carters Dwarf Extra Curled

Kale (*see Photograph*).—Award of Merit, R.H.S., 1907, after trial at Wisley. A re-selected and crested form of the Early Kale so popular in the North. It will resist the most intense frost, and makes a delicious winter dish.

Price 1s. and 6d. per packet,
1s. 6d. per ounce.

Carters Half Tall Scotch

Kale (*see Photograph*).—A fitting companion to our well-known *Dwarf Extra Curled* type. The leaves are very dense and moss curled. Stands the coldest weather, and the greater the frost the more delicate the leaves eat. If the leaves at the top are cut during the early part of the winter, it will greatly encourage the growth of the young shoots upon the stem.

Price 1s. per ounce;
6d. per packet.

Carters Mammoth Tall Scotch

Kale.—A very robust variety, suitable for large establishments where quantities of winter green-stuffs are needed.

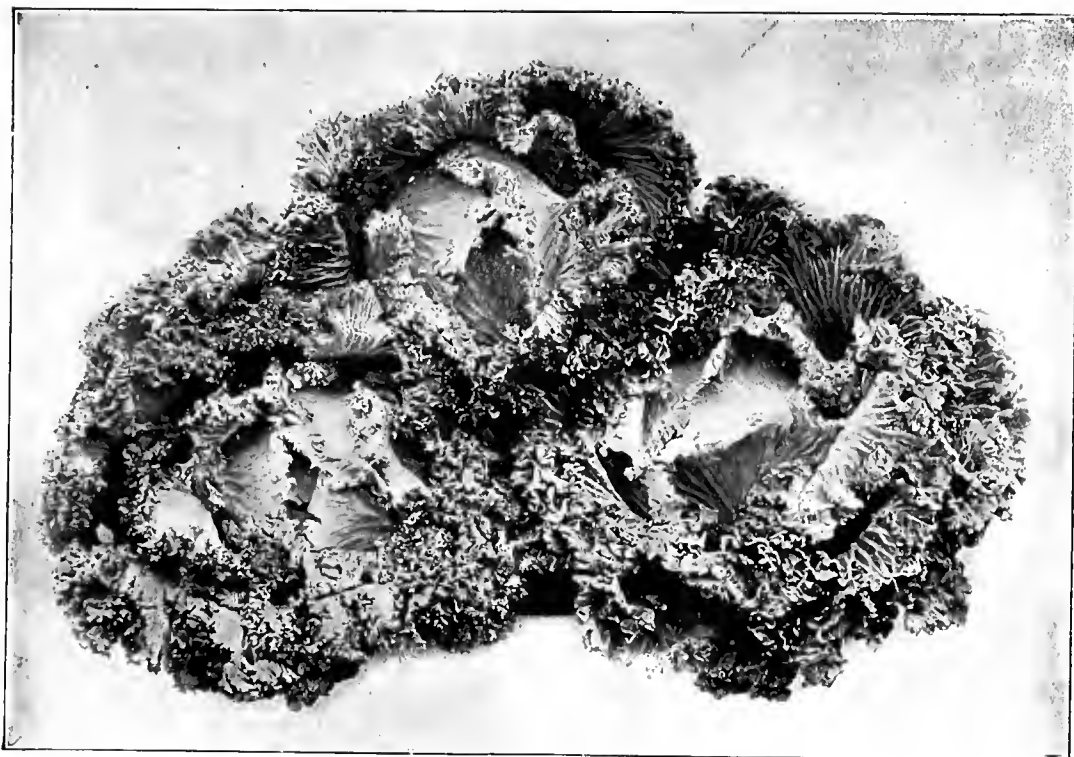
Price 1s. per ounce;
6d. per packet.

Carters Improved Garnishing

Kale.—This is not only a valuable winter vegetable, but also produces a variety of distinct and beautiful shades of colour in its variously tinted leaves that are useful for many decorative purposes.

Price 1s. and 6d. per packet;
1s. 6d. per ounce.

BORECOLE or KALE. — *Continued.*



CARTERS DRUMHEAD KALE.

We received an Award of Merit from the Royal Horticultural Society for this Kale.

Carters Drumhead Kale.—A valuable winter vegetable with a solid cabbage-like head. Quite delicious when cooked. (*See Photograph.*)

"Quite distinct from any other Kale here. The leaves are broad and it is now hearting like a *Drumhead* Cabbage."—Mr. J. Whynock, Head Gardener to His Grace the Duke of Buccleuch.

"This is a delicious looking Kale which makes a good head, and is as delicious when cooked as it looks while growing."—Mr. W. A. Cook, Head Gardener to Sir Edmund Loder, Bart.

Price 1s. and 6d. per packet; 1s. 6d. per ounce.

Carters Purple Plume Kale.—Leaves of a rich purple, very tall and handsome; a useful vegetable as a winter dish or for garnishing.

Price 1s. and 6d. per packet; 1s. 6d. per ounce.

Asparagus Kale.—The long thin shoots produced on the plant in early spring make a delicious dish.

Price 6d. and 1s. per packet.

Cottager's Kale.—Very hardy, of tall robust growth, throws a great profusion of side shoots, of splendid quality. Award of Merit, R.H.S., March, 1907 Per oz.—s. d.

... .. per packet 3d. & 6d. 0 10

Carters Curled.—Dwarf; superbly curled 3d. & 6d. 0 9

Carters Tall Green Curled.—Densely curled 3d. & 6d. 0 8

Dwarf Green Curled.—For general use 3d. & 6d. 0 8

Imperial Hearting.—Hardy, with compact heads 3d. & 6d. 0 9

Jersey Tree.—Tall and curious, with stems of such toughness that in Jersey they are often made into walking sticks per packet 3d. 0 6

Tall Purple Curled.—Prettily curled and of rich colour 3d. 0 6

Thousand Headed.—Loose headed; great profusion of leaves 0 4

The Cultivation of Kale.—Sow the seed in March for early winter crop, and again in April for main winter crop. Transplant as soon as ready in summer, about 2 feet apart, into good soil, made firm and highly manured.

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CARTERS SANDRINGHAM BROCCOLI.

**FOR CUTTING FROM
JANUARY TO APRIL.**

Carters Sandringham Winter White (*see Photograph*).—A choice re-selected stock of Snow's Broccoli, which we strongly recommend to our customers. The heads, which attain a good size, are of a very compact growth and beautifully white.

Price 1s., 1s. 6d., and 2s. 6d.
per packet.

Carters Mammoth Spring White.—We have no hesitation in saying that this is one of the largest as well as the best varieties grown, and attains greater popularity each season. The heads are snow-white and of the finest texture.

Price 1s. and 1s. 6d. per packet ;
2s. 6d. per ounce.

Carters Improved Early Purple Sprouting.—This variety is fit considerably earlier than the Purple Sprouting generally grown, and throws up a great profusion of Sprouts.

Price 1s. per packet ; 1s. 6d. per ounce.

Carters Pyramid.—So named on account of the pyramidal habit it assumes ; the large heads of purple sprouting growth giving it a pleasing appearance. Very hardy and vigorous.

Price 1s. and 1s. 6d. per packet.

Snow's Winter White.—A valuable midwinter variety, very constant excepting when the season runs out of its usual character, when the head may be later in reaching maturity.

Price 1s. and 1s. 6d. per packet ; 2s. 6d. per ounce.

Carters Winter.—This will be found one of the most reliable varieties ; good solid heads.

Price 1s. and 1s. 6d. per packet ; 2s. 6d. per ounce.

	Per oz.	s.	d.
Adams' Early White. —Produces fine heads, pure, compact and firm ... per packet, 6d.	...	0	10
Brimstone. —Pale sulphur coloured heads of large size ... per packet, 6d.	...	0	9
Covent Garden Early. —Largely grown for market ; good solid heads ... per packet, 6d.	...	1	0
Frogmore Protecting. —A fine variety, with solid pure white heads... per packet, 6d.	...	1	6
Imperial Winter. —Of very hardy and robust habit ... per packet, 6d.	...	1	0
Knight's Protecting. —An old favourite ; heads of large size and good shape ... per packet, 6d.	...	1	0

	Per oz.	s.	d.
Large Late White. —Grows to very large size ... per packet, 6d.	...	0	9
Leamington. —An old and popular sort : firm white heads ... per packet, 6d.	...	1	0
Penzance Early. —Largely grown in south-west of England ... per packet, 6d.	...	1	3
Purple Cape. —Distinct variety, of good flavour ... per packet, 1s.	...	1	6
Purple Sprouting. —Too well-known to need comment ... per packet, 6d.	...	1	0
White Sprouting. —Good stock, producing large quantity of Sprouts ... per packet, 6d.	...	1	3
Wilcove Late White. —Heads of medium size and good quality ... per packet, 6d.	...	0	9

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BROCCOLI.—Continued.**CARTERS SUMMER BROCCOLI.**

**FOR CUTTING FROM
APRIL TO JUNE.**

Carters Summer (*see Photograph*).—This variety is strongly recommended to growers of late Broccoli. It is extremely hardy and will withstand the most intense frosts. The heads are of super quality, white; close and compact. Price **1s.** and **1s. 6d.** per packet; **2s. 6d.** per ounce.

Carters Champion.—We introduced this variety some years ago; it is of sterling merit and steadily grows in favour. Grows to a large size, and is of very hard, compact habit.

Price **6d.** and **1s.** per packet; **1s. 9d.** per ounce.

The Rev. M. F. HILTON, Welton Vicarage, writes:—"I send photo of your *Champion* Broccoli. After trimming for cooking one weighed 8½ lbs. and measured 45 inches round. My gardener finds your seeds reliable and satisfactory."

			Per oz.—s. d.
Eclipse. —Fine hardy late variety	... ..	per packet,	1s. 2 0
Evesham Giant. —Late, and attains to large size	... ..	,, 6d. & 1s.	1 6
June Monarch. —Fine large well-protected heads of good quality	... ..	,, 1s.	2 0
Late Queen. —One of the best in late section, of very hardy and compact growth, producing medium sized white heads	... ..	,, 1s.	2 0
Model. —Medium sized white heads, hardy and dwarf habit	... ..	,, 6d. & 1s.	1 6

WE CAN STRONGLY RECOMMEND THE FOLLOWING SELECTIONS:

	Price—s. d.
8 packets of Broccoli, in 8 best sorts, for succession—our selection	3 6
4 packets of Broccoli, in 4 best sorts, for succession—our selection	2 0
8 ounces of Broccoli, in 8 best sorts, for succession—our selection	10 6
4 ounces of Broccoli, in 8 best sorts, for succession—our selection	5 6

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CARTERS AUTUMN BROCCOLI.

**FOR CUTTING
FROM SEPTEMBER TO
DECEMBER.**

Carters Autumn (*see Photograph*).—The earliest white close-headed variety. Comes in after early Cauliflower and before winter Broccoli.

Price **1s. 6d.** and **2s. 6d.** per packet.

Grange's Autumn White.—

Good solid heads of fine appearance
per packet, 6d. & 1s. 1 6

Veitch's Self-Protecting.—

Early variety, with good hearting
quality ... per packet, 6d. & 1s. 1 9

Walcheren.—One of the earliest ;

fine heads ... per packet, 6d. & 1s. 1 6

Carters Universal Protecting

(*see Photograph*).—Between a Broccoli and a Cauliflower, coming in during summer after the latest Broccoli and before the earliest Cauliflower. It produces large heads, compact and pure white. This is a remarkable introduction.

Stands longer than any other.

Price **1s.** and **1s. 6d.** per packet.

The Cultivation of Broccoli.—For the earliest crop a sowing is requisite the beginning of March, and a little protection may be necessary for the seed-beds. Successional sowings should follow up to June. Prick out into a prepared bed when strong enough, and when thoroughly established in summer transplant to permanent quarters, the earliest kinds first, to produce a constant supply of heads, according to the variety, until Cauliflowers are ready in July the following season. The soil should be deeply dug, well manured, and in good tilth and firm before transplanting.



CARTERS UNIVERSAL PROTECTING BROCCOLI.



CARTERS HOLBORN EXHIBITION BRUSSELS SPROUTS.

BRUSSELS SPROUTS

Carters
Holborn Exhibition
Brussels Sprouts.

(See Photograph.)

A very fine strain, the result of many years' careful selection. Its points for size, colour, and productiveness are good all round. Besides being largely grown in private gardens, it is a special favourite with many of our best known market growers. It is of medium height with large solid sprouts.

Price 1s. and 6d. per packet;
1s. 9d. per ounce.

**THE ROYAL HORTICULTURAL
SOCIETY'S** report reads:—

"Carters *New Exhibition*. Plants 2 feet high, sturdy, producing a mass of medium sized hard sprouts from base to crown."

Holborn Exhibition
Brussels Sprouts.

"I grew a splendid crop of Brussels Sprouts. There were several plants better than any illustration in any Gardening Catalogue or Paper, several gardeners saw them and said they had never seen anything better or more perfect in growth."—Mr. WICKS, Gardener.

"Those I had last season have done splendidly."—MRS. SANDELL.

"I am very pleased to say that your *Holborn Exhibition* Brussels Sprouts I got from you last year were the best I have ever had. They were large sprouts from top to the bottom."—Mr. G. CARR.

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BRUSSELS SPROUTS--*Continued.*

Carters Perfection Brussels Sprouts.

(See Photograph.)

A standard variety for general use, producing large and firm sprouts in great abundance. As a late Sprout it is much appreciated. It is a taller growing variety than our Exhibition strain.

Price 1s. and 6d. per packet;
1s. 9d. per ounce.

Aigburth. — Medium height;
Sprouts of good size and colour.

1s. per ounce; 3d. and 6d. per packet.

Fresh Imported.—Small, close,
compact Sprouts.

8d. per ounce; 3d. and 6d. per packet.

Rosebery.—Large Sprouts; tall
growing, and of good quality.

10d. per ounce; 3d. and 6d. per packet.

Scrymger's Giant. — Tall-
growing variety, producing
Sprouts of good quality and large
size.

10d. per ounce; 3d. and 6d. per packet.

The Cultivation of Brussels Sprouts.

—Sow the seed early in March for first crop, and again late in April for succession, transplant in summer into good ground made thoroughly firm, when the plants are large enough to handle, and keep stirred with the hoe through the dry weather. The Sprouts are fit for gathering after they have been under the influence of a hard frost, which makes them tender eating. Some growers make a sowing in August to get early Sprouts.



CARTERS PERFECTION BRUSSELS SPROUTS.

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CARTERS SELECTED EARLY CABBAGES.

FOR SPRING AND AUTUMN SOWING.



CARTERS EARLY HEARTWELL CABBAGE.

Carters Early Heartwell (*see Photograph*).—An early Marrow Cabbage of refined quality and delicate flavour; without doubt one of the best varieties in cultivation. Sown in spring will be fit to cut in summer. Sown in August will be fit to cut in April and May. 37 First Prizes reported last season.

Price 1s. and 6d. per packet; 1s. 6d. per ounce.

Carters Early Garden.—A highly-selected variety, with a sugarloaf head. Preferred by some growers to the round-headed type.

Price 6d. per packet; 1s. per ounce.

Carters Model.—As a succession to Carters *Heartwell* this is a useful variety. Its heads are firm and compact, and come close to the ground.

Price 6d. per packet; 1s. per ounce.

	Per packet.	Per oz.
	s. d.	s. d.
Carters Early Spring. —A fine early Cabbage, of medium size and robust habit	0 3	0 6

Carters Early York. Of dwarf compact habit, small heads, and quick growth	6d. &	0 3	0 8
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Early Offenham. —Carters Selected, one of the best early varieties, producing large firm heads	6d. &	0 3	1 0
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	Per packet.	Per oz.	
	s. d.	s. d.	
Early Rainham. —Large and compact, and of good quality and flavour ...	6d. &	0 3	0 10

Ellam's Early. —Early, of dwarf compact habit, is largely grown in all parts of the country; hearts of good quality and excellent flavour	6d. &	0 3	1 0
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Mein's No. 1. —A well-known variety, of large size	6d. &	0 3	0 9
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Carters Mammoth Beefheart.—The finest Garden Cabbage grown. It is some years since we introduced this variety, but each season it becomes more popular, and we confidently recommend this highly selected strain as being not only the largest, but one with the least tendency to bolt. Sown in spring it gives splendid heavy heads during summer and autumn, or when sown in August fine heads may be expected in the late spring. It is much more robust and hardy than many of the small varieties now recommended for early summer use. 131 First Prizes reported to us by our customers.

Price 6d. and 1s. per packet; 1s. 6d. per ounce.

Carters Address for all correspondence, RAYNES PARK, LONDON, S.W. -1912.

CABBAGE.—*Continued.*

Carters Miniature Drumhead.—A small, globular shaped Garden Cabbage of delicate flavour and good colour. Although called Drumhead from its shape, it is quite distinct from the Field Cabbage; valuable for small gardens, where only one sort is grown. The plants may be set very close together.

Price 6d. and 1s. per packet; 1s. 6d. per ounce.

Carters Mammoth Beefheart (*see Photograph and Description, page 31*).

Carters White Prizetaker.—A good variety with short leaves and white heart; strongly recommended for autumn use; flavour exceptionally mild and melting.

Price 6d. and 1s. per packet; 1s. 6d. per ounce.

Carters Red Pickling.—This is the most perfect type of Red Cabbage; the heads being very hard and compact and of a rich deep crimson, the colour also of the outer leaves being much darker than any other variety we know, and we feel confident that it will speedily displace the older sorts 6l. & 1 0 1 6

Christmas Drumhead.—A small solid-headed variety, largely grown by Market Gardeners 3d. & 0 6 1 0

Carters Cocoanut.—Small and early; of compact habit and delicate flavour 3d. & 0 6 0 9

Carters Large Blood-Red.—A large headed pickling variety of good colour 3d. & 0 6 0 10

Carters Matchless.—Brought out several seasons ago, still popular on account of good hearting properties and flavour 3d. & 0 6 0 10

Carters Summer.—One of the largest headed varieties; very white hearts; flavour mild 0 3 0 6

Defiance.—Fine large heads of good shape, white hearts, and mild flavour 3d. & 0 6 0 10

Enfield Market.—This old and popular variety is still largely grown; compact and firm 3d. & 0 6 0 10

Large Imperial Oxheart.—Very hard headed and close variety 0 3 0 6

Little Pixie.—Dwarf and early; heads small and compact 3d. & 0 6 0 10

Nonpareil.—Carters Re-selected. A good stock of this old and largely grown variety; for either spring or autumn sowing... .. 3d. & 0 6 0 10

Nonpareil.—Ordinary stock 0 3 0 6

Sugarloaf.—Distinct; large conical heads; hearts white and of good flavour... .. 3d. & 0 6 0 10

Wheeler's Imperial.—Dwarf variety, with very solid heart of good mild flavour 3d. & 0 6 0 9

COLLECTIONS OF CABBAGE SEED.

8 packets of Cabbage, in 8 finest sorts, for succession—our selection 2 0

4 packets of Cabbage, in 4 finest sorts, for succession—our selection 1 0

16 ounces of Cabbage, in 8 finest sorts, for succession—our selection 10 0

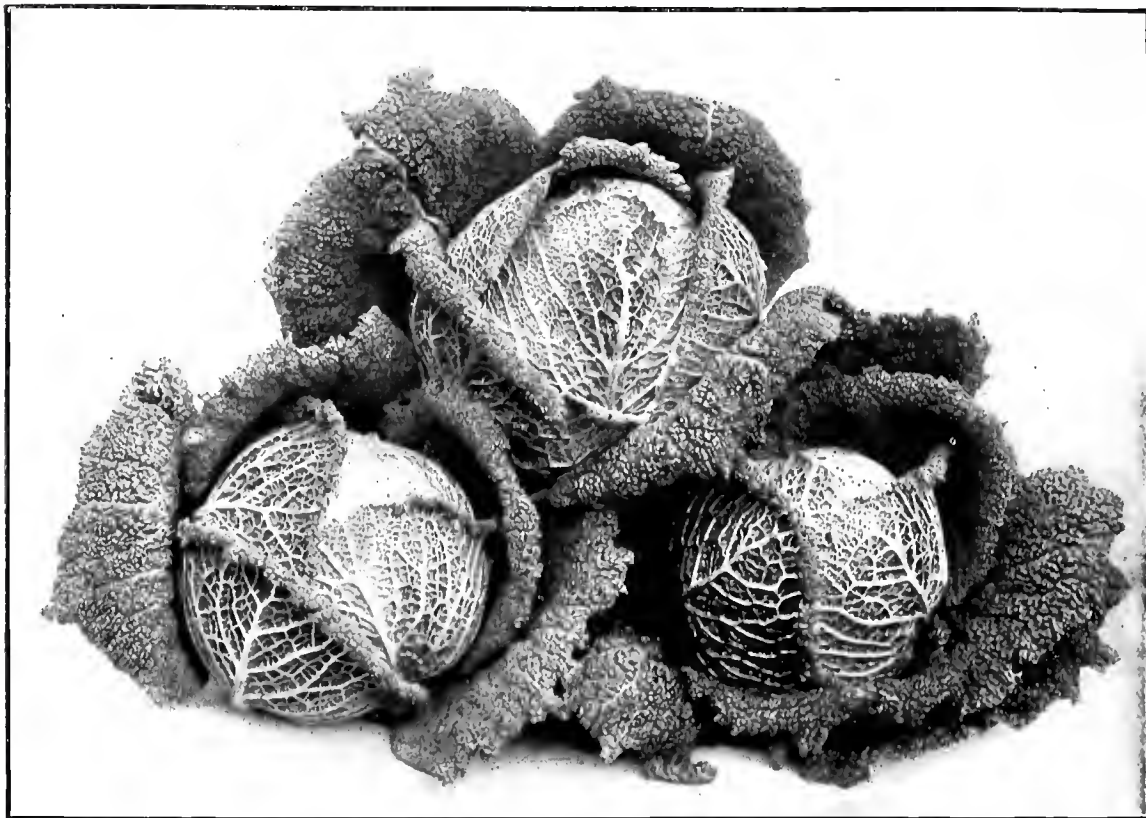
8 ounces of Cabbage, in 8 finest sorts, for succession—our selection 5 6

The Cultivation of Cabbage.—By a little careful arrangement Cabbages can be had almost all the year round. An early variety sown in the spring will come into use in the summer; a main crop variety sown in the spring will come in during summer or autumn. Sowings made during July of a quick variety like the *Colewort* will come into use during autumn, whilst sowings made towards the end of August will be fit for cutting in the spring. July sowings of a Cabbage intended for spring cutting often bolt, whereas the same variety sown at end of August stands well. Cabbages require a rich, deeply dug, and well-drained soil; when planted out they should stand 15 to 20 inches apart, according to habit and growth of the variety.

Carters Seedsmen by Appointment to His Majesty the King—High Holborn, London.

SAVOY CABBAGE.

SAVOY, CHOU DE MILAN, COLEWORT, COUVE TRONCHUDA.



CARTERS GIANT GREEN SAVOY.

Carters Giant Green Savoy (*see Photograph*).—An improved type with crimped foliage; the individual leaves are very large, but retain their tender properties longer than any other variety.

Price 6d. and 1s. per packet; 1s. 6d. per ounce.

Carters Early Dwarf Ulm.—A fine re-selected stock of this popular Savoy. Extremely early, good flavoured, and very hardy. Price 6d. and 1s. per packet; 1s. 6d. per ounce.

Carters Re-selected Tom Thumb.—An exceptionally fine-grained type, with a compact heart. Very early and ornamental. Price 6d. and 1s. per packet; 1s. 6d. per ounce.

THE ROYAL HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY'S report at Wisley:—"Carters Re-selected Tom Thumb Savoy, A good stock of this dwarf compact, early, well-known old variety."

								Per oz.—s. d.
Carters Drumhead .—Good stock; large hearting variety	...	...	...	...	...	per packet,	3d. & 6d.	o 8
Chou de Milan .—Italian cabbage...	...	...	...	...	...	"	3d.	o 6
Chou de Milan "Imperial"...	...	...	...	...	...	"	3d.	o 6
Dwarf Green Curled .—Very compact and hardy; one of the best for general use	...	...	...	...	...	"	3d. & 6d.	o 9
Early Ulm .—Original stock	...	...	...	...	...	"	3d. & 6d.	o 9
Golden Globe .—Compact hearting, delicate flavour	...	...	...	...	...	"	3d. & 6d.	o 8
Green Curled .—Original stock	...	...	...	...	...	"	3d.	o 6
Little Pixie .—Small, very early, and of fine flavour	...	...	...	...	...	"	3d. & 6d.	o 8

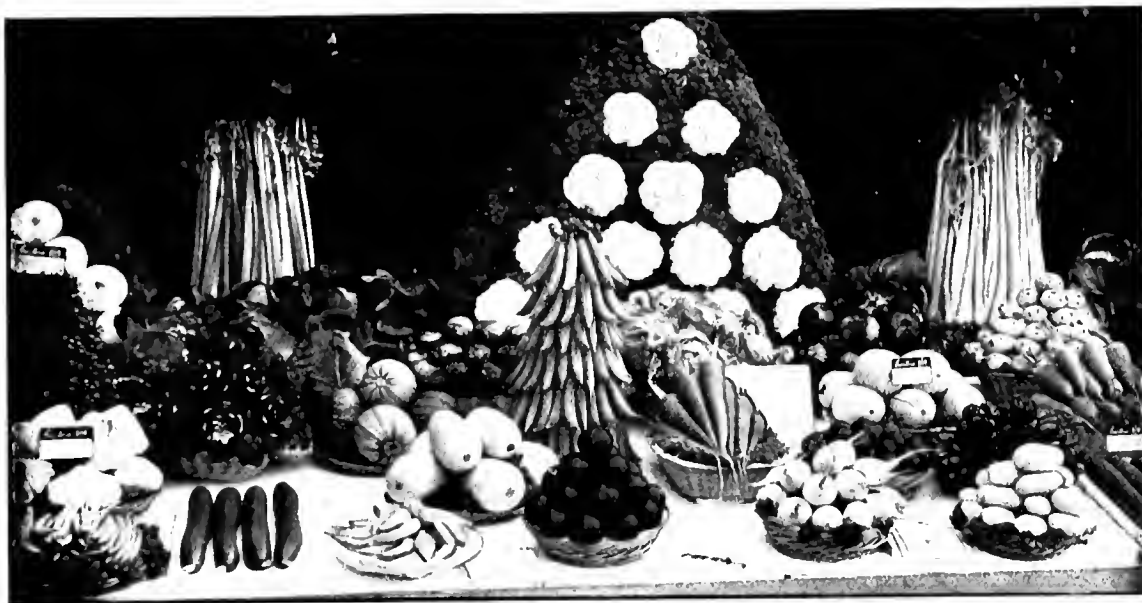
COLEWORT AND COUVE TRONCHUDA.

Carters Hardy Green.—Valuable for autumn sowing per packet, 3d. & 6d. o 9

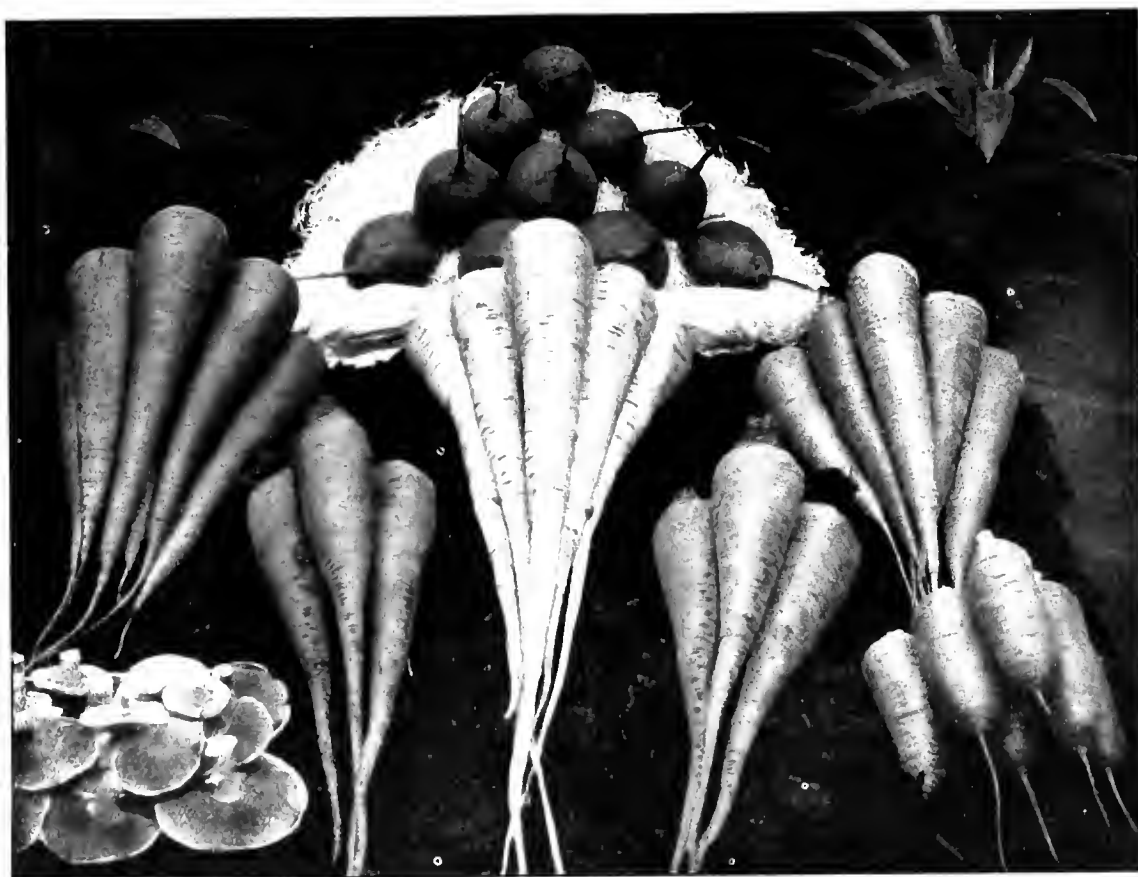
Carters Rosette.—A valuable variety for winter use " 3d. & 6d. o 9

Couve Tronchuda, Portugal, or Sea Kale Cabbage.—The thick fleshy mid-ribs of the largest leaves are sometimes used and prepared in the same manner as Sea Kale " 3d. & 6d. o 9

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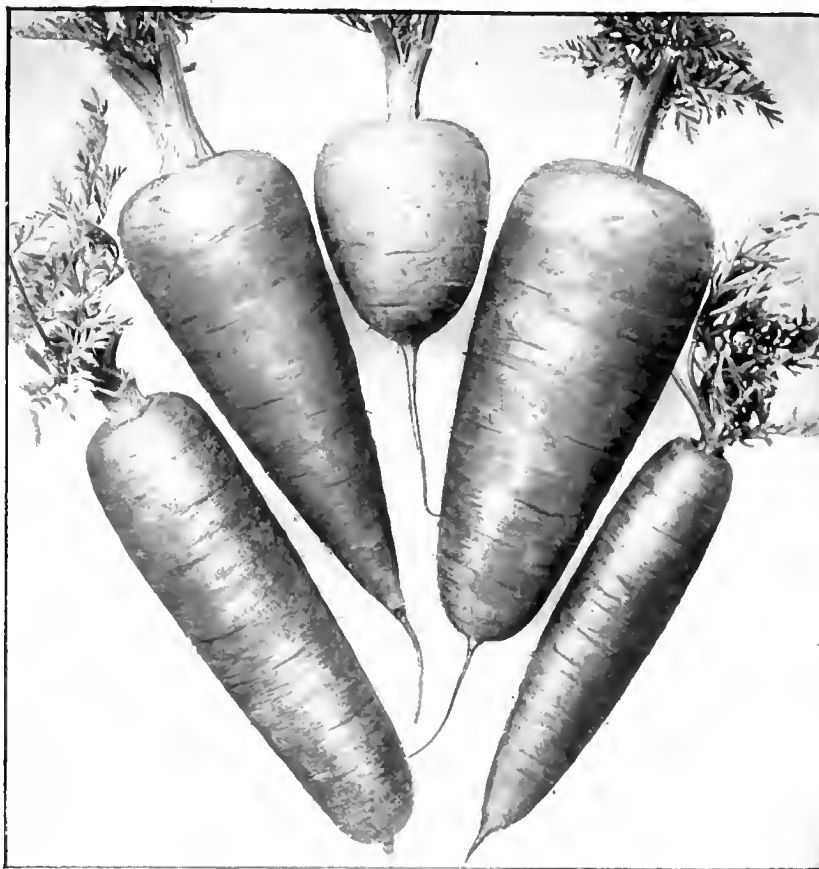


CARTERS GOLD MEDAL EXHIBIT, TAUNTON, 1910.



Exhibited by Mrs. DENISON, Little Gaddesden, Berkhamsted (Mr. A. G. Gentle, Gardener).
The above magnificent exhibit comprised the following varieties: —CARTERS RED ELEPHANT CARROT, CARTERS IMPROVED HORN CARROT, CARTERS PERFECTION BEET, CARTERS CRIMSON BALL BEET, CARTERS HOTBORN MARROW PARSNIP.

CARROTS FOR FORCING, FRAME, AND SUMMER.



CARTERS GOLDEN BALL.
CARTERS EARLY SCARLET HORN. **CARTERS EARLY MARKET.**
CARTERS IMPROVED HORN. **CARTERS LONG FORCING.**

Carters Golden Ball.—A most distinct and very early variety, specially adapted for forcing and frame work. The roots are almost as round as a turnip, flavour excellent and melting. Awarded First Prize as the best early Carrot, R.H.S. Great Autumn Exhibition, 1905.

Price 1s. and 6d. per packet ; 1s. 3d. per ounce.

Carters Early Scarlet Horn.—A highly selected stock, of bright scarlet colour, one of the most useful in this section.

Price 1s. and 6d. per packet ; 1s. 3d. per ounce.

Carters Early Market.—Fine early variety of good colour, quick in growth, valuable alike for Market Gardeners or private use.

Price 1s. and 6d. per packet ; 1s. 3d. per ounce.

Carters Improved Early Horn.—A perfect type of stump-rooted Carrot, of excellent flavour.

Price 1s. and 6d. per packet ; 1s. 3d. per ounce.

Carters Long Forcing.—A handsome long Carrot, with the same depth of colour and firmness of texture in its earliest stages as other Carrots possess in their later growths.

Price 1s. and 6d. per packet ; 1s. 3d. per ounce.

CARTERS LONG FORCING CARROT.—"This forcing Carrot is one of the most distinct and valuable that we possess, and when better known it is sure to be extensively grown. It is the quickest variety that I know of, and makes but very little top, and the quality is excellent. As a Carrot coming into use early in the year, and for exhibition, it is an acquisition."—*E. B. in Gardeners' Chronicle.*

OTHER EARLY VARIETIES.

												Per oz.—s. d.
Earliest French Horn	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	per packet	3d. and 6d. 0 10
Early Short Horn	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	„	3d. and 6d. 0 10
Short-Rooted	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	„	3d. and 6d. 0 9
Nantes, stump rooted	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	„	3d. and 6d. 0 9

Carters Address for all
 Correspondence, **RAYNES PARK, LONDON, S.W.—1912.**

CARROT.—Continued.



CARTERS SUMMER FAVOURITE CARROT.

Carters Summer Favourite (*see Photograph*).—Awarded Royal Horticultural Society's Silver Medal. A splendid half-long, producing handsome, well-grown bright cochineal-scarlet Carrots very early in the season. The quality is superb, and as an exhibition variety coming into use early, it will be found invaluable for showing in the summer months. 156 First Prizes reported to us during the past few seasons.

Price 6d. and 1s. per packet ;
1s. 3d. per ounce.

Carters Scarlet Perfection.—

Awarded a Special Certificate of Merit at the Vegetable Conference of the Royal Horticultural Society and awarded First Prize, R.H.S. Great Autumn Exhibition, 1905. A distinct and greatly improved form of Garden Carrot. It is midway in length between the *Long Surrey* and the well-known *Intermediate*, with the bright scarlet colour of the *Surrey*. The flesh is solid, crisp, and fine flavoured. Invaluable alike for table, exhibition, and market purposes. 276 First Prizes reported by customers.

Price 6d. per packet ; 1s. 3d. per ounce.

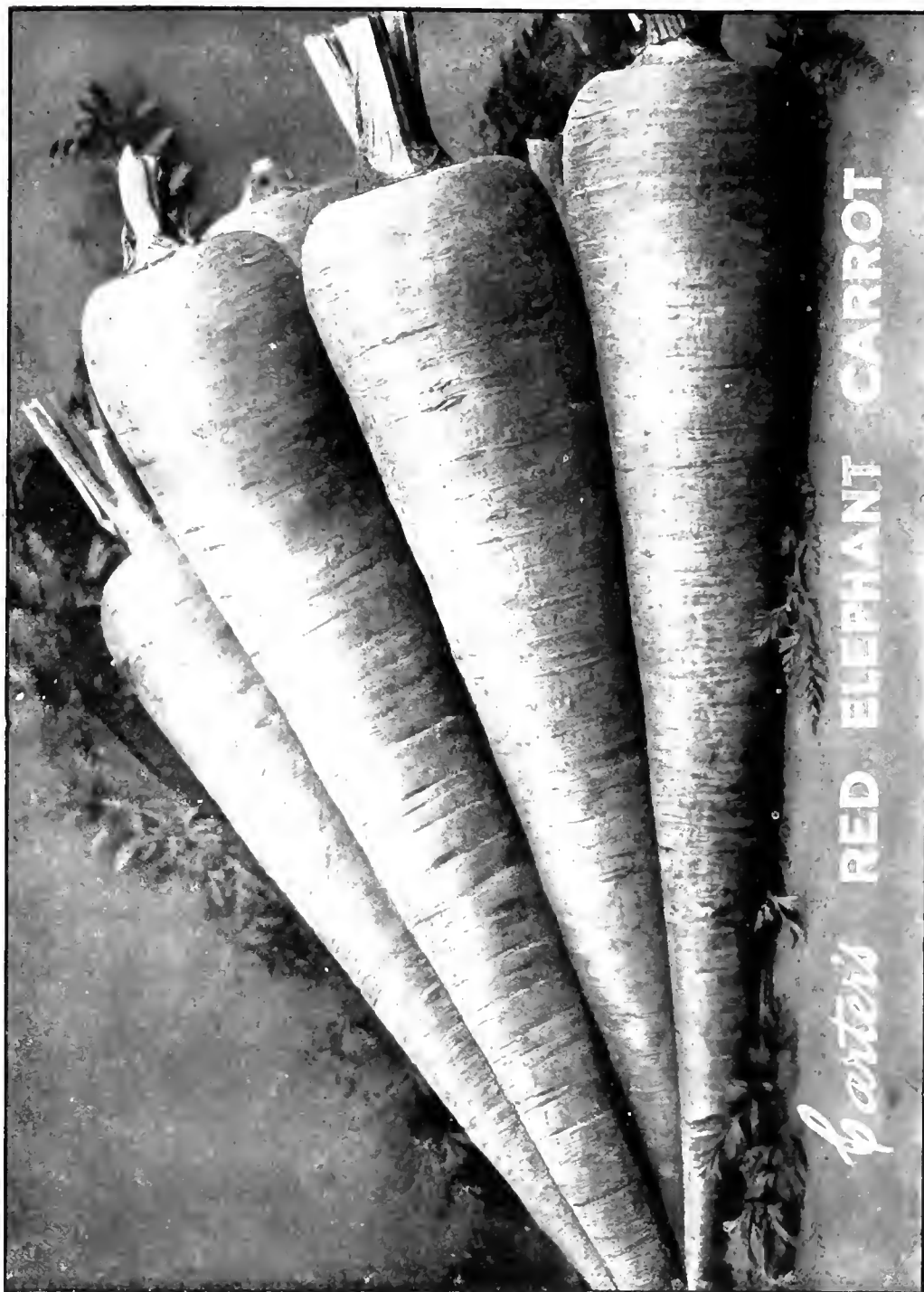
"I have pulled up *Scarlet Perfection* Carrot in thinning out the bed well over a pound in weight, straight as a dart and tender as butter."—E. J. CRAWSEW, Esq., Burnham.

Carters Blood Red.—This Carrot is quite distinct, and has many good and new qualities. It has a depth of colour not hitherto seen in Carrots, the texture of its flesh, while solid and crisp, is most tender, and entirely loses the pithy heart found in many large-growing varieties. It has handsome long roots.

Price 6d. and 1s. per packet.

					Per oz.—s. d.
Carters Selected Altrincham. —Green-topped ; highly-selected stock	...	...	...	per packet, 3d. & 6d.	0 9
Carters Selected Intermediate. —The best type of <i>Intermediate</i>	...	...	...	per packet, 3d. & 6d.	1 0
Carters Stump-rooted Intermediate. —Fine form and colour	...	...	...	per packet, 3d. & 6d.	0 10
Carters Long Scarlet. —Splendid long stock of good colour	...	...	...	per packet, 3d. & 6d.	0 8
Carters Intermediate. —Good colour and fine for keeping	...	...	...	per packet, 3d.	0 8
Carters Long Red Surrey. —Re-selected stock of the longest carrot grown ; does not, however, possess the quality of newer introductions like Red Elephant or Scarlet Perfection	...	...	...	per packet, 3d. & 6d.	1 0
Carters Orange Giant. —Yellow carrot of large size	...	...	...	per packet, 3d.	0 6
James' Scarlet Intermediate...	...	...	...	per packet, 3d. & 6d.	0 8
Long Surrey. —Original stock	...	...	...	per packet, 3d.	0 8
Scarlet Altrincham...	...	...	...	per packet, 3d.	0 8

The Cultivation of Carrot.—For early forcing sow in January in frames, in February on warm border. Make successional and main crop sowings during March and April in deep well-conditioned soil to which manure has not been recently applied. Cover the seed very lightly in $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch drills, and as soon as the plants are strong enough to handle, thin out from 4 to 9 inches, according to sort. Further sowings may be made up to the end of June.



A veritable giant both in length and rotundity. Specimens have been exhibited at our establishment measuring two feet and a half in length (30 inches). It has been brought to this high standard of perfection by one of the best professional gardeners, from whom we originally acquired the whole stock. A remarkable variety, and one which has already become prominent in first-class gardens and on the exhibition table. Price **6d.** and **1s.** per packet; **1s. 3d.** per ounce. 239 FIRST PRIZES REPORTED BY CUSTOMERS.

CAULIFLOWER.—FIRST EARLY VARIETIES.



CARTERS FORERUNNER CAULIFLOWER.

WHAT EXPERTS SAY ABOUT IT.

"Carters Forerunner Cauliflower was sown on February 1st with *Snowball* and another well-known early variety. Planted in the open the third week in April, we commenced to cut compact heads on June 7th. **None of the other varieties were near ready.** I am much impressed with it, and can congratulate you on it as distinct and valuable."—EDWIN BECKETT, Head Gardener to the Hon. Vicary Gibbs.

"I grew your new Cauliflower in frames along with *Snowball*, and grown thus it was **8 to 10 days earlier**, a closer head, and in all respects a better form. A most valuable introduction. I had it also on early borders in the open." G. WYTHES, late Head Gardener to His Grace the Duke of Northumberland.

"Carters Forerunner Cauliflower is a marvel. I cut fine heads on June 6th. almost like *Autumn Giant*." Mr. W. HUMPHREY, The Gardens, Loampits.

Carters Early Emperor.—A superb strain for the early summer. A giant Cauliflower for outdoor work, coming in midway between Carters *Forerunner* and Carters *Autumn Giant*.

THE ROYAL HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY'S report reads :—"Carters *Early Emperor*. Plants dwarf, sturdy with semi-protecting foliage ; heads medium to large in size, firm, and of excellent shape."

Price **1s.**, **1s. 6d.**, and **2s. 6d.** per packet.

Carters Defiance Forcing (*See small Photograph*)—For frame or pot culture. In perfection during early summer.

Price **1s.**, **1s. 6d.**, and **2s. 6d.** per packet.

CARTERS FORERUNNER CAULIFLOWER.

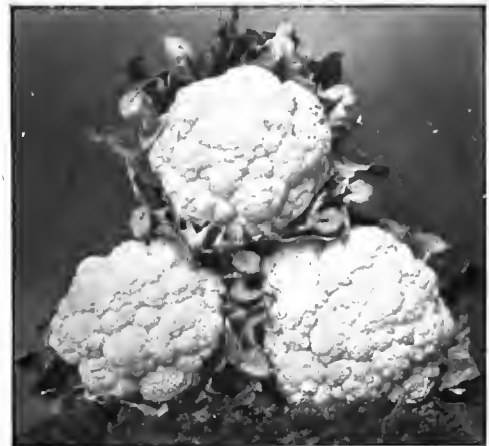
NOVELTY.

The quickest Cauliflower ever grown. Ten days earlier than others.

Large white head, solid, and good size. Sow in middle of February, transplant when first leaves drop, under glass, plant in open ground end of April or beginning of May, and the first heads will be ready by the middle of June. The leaves protect the head from the summer sun.

THE ROYAL HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY, reporting its trials at Wisley, says :— "Carters *Early Forerunner*. A very early variety of dwarf, compact habit ; sturdy, with rather small, solid, handsome, pure white heads."

Price **1s. 6d.** and **2s. 6d.** per packet.



CARTERS DEFIANCE FORCING CAULIFLOWER.



CARTERS EXTRA EARLY AUTUMN GIANT CAULIFLOWER.

Carters Extra Early Autumn Giant.—This magnificent Cauliflower is more dwarf, considerably earlier, and in every respect better than the old Autumn Giant. It produces enormous snow white heads, and is admitted to be the largest and the earliest of the giant forms that are of such value during September and October.

We have records of 238 **FIRST PRIZES** having been won by Customers.

Price **1s. 6d.** and **2s. 6d.** per packet; **3s. 6d.** per ounce.

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CAULIFLOWER.—*Continued.*

CARTERS MONT BLANC CAULIFLOWER.

Carters Mont Blanc (*see Photograph*).—Magnificent snow-white heads, well protected by the leaves; one of the best for soils of heavy or retentive nature.

Price 1s. and 1s. 6d. per packet.

		Per pkt. s. d.	Per oz. s. d.
Carters Autumn. —Enormous heads. Popular on account of quality and size	...	1 0	2 0
Carters Dwarf Mammoth. —One of the best for early work, producing the largest heads...	...	1 0	2 6
Carters Early. —Fine large heads	...	1 0	2 0
Early Defiance. —Close heads of good quality	...	1 0	2 6
Early White London. Useful for general cultivation	...	1 0	1 9
Eclipse. —Distinct; splendid compact heads	...	1 0	2 0
First Crop. —Very early, firm white heads	...	1s. & 1 6	—
Snowball. —Superb early variety	...	1s. & 1 6	—
Autumn Giant. —Well known. One of the most popular Cauliflowers in cultivation, succeeding immediately	...	1 0	2 0
our <i>Extra Early Autumn Giant</i> ; heads enormous size, and fine texture	...	1 0	2 6
King of Cauliflowers. —A very fine autumn variety, producing large heads	...	1 0	1 0
Walcheren. —A splendid mid-season variety, with solid large white heads	...	1 0	1 0

The Cultivation of Cauliflower.—Sow in pans on a gentle heat in February and March, to be pricked out in April on a warm border. Sow in the open in April and May for succession, and again in August for winter and spring use under glass.

Carters Seedsmen by Appointment to His Majesty the King—High Holborn, London.

CELERY.

Carters Solid Ivory Celery (*see Photograph*).—One of the most remarkable features of Carters *Solid Ivory Celery* is its extreme dwarf compact habit, and beautiful white colour. If the heads are tied with a little rough matting, the same as with Cos Lettuces, it will assist not only in keeping the Celery perfect, but also to exclude superabundant moisture.

We have records of no less than 288 First Prizes awarded this variety during the past few seasons in open competition.

Price 1s. and 1s. 6d. per packet.

OTHER WHITE VARIETIES.

Per packet—s. d.

Carters Incomparable Dwarf White.—Useful variety; stiff compact habit ... 1s. & 0 6

Carters Sandringham Dwarf White.—Dwarf habit, solid, sweet and nutty flavour ... 1s. & 0 6

Carters White Celery.—This is a select stock producing very large heads of good flavour ... 1s. & 0 6

Cole's Crystal White.—Good solid compact heads; flavour good ... 1s. & 0 6

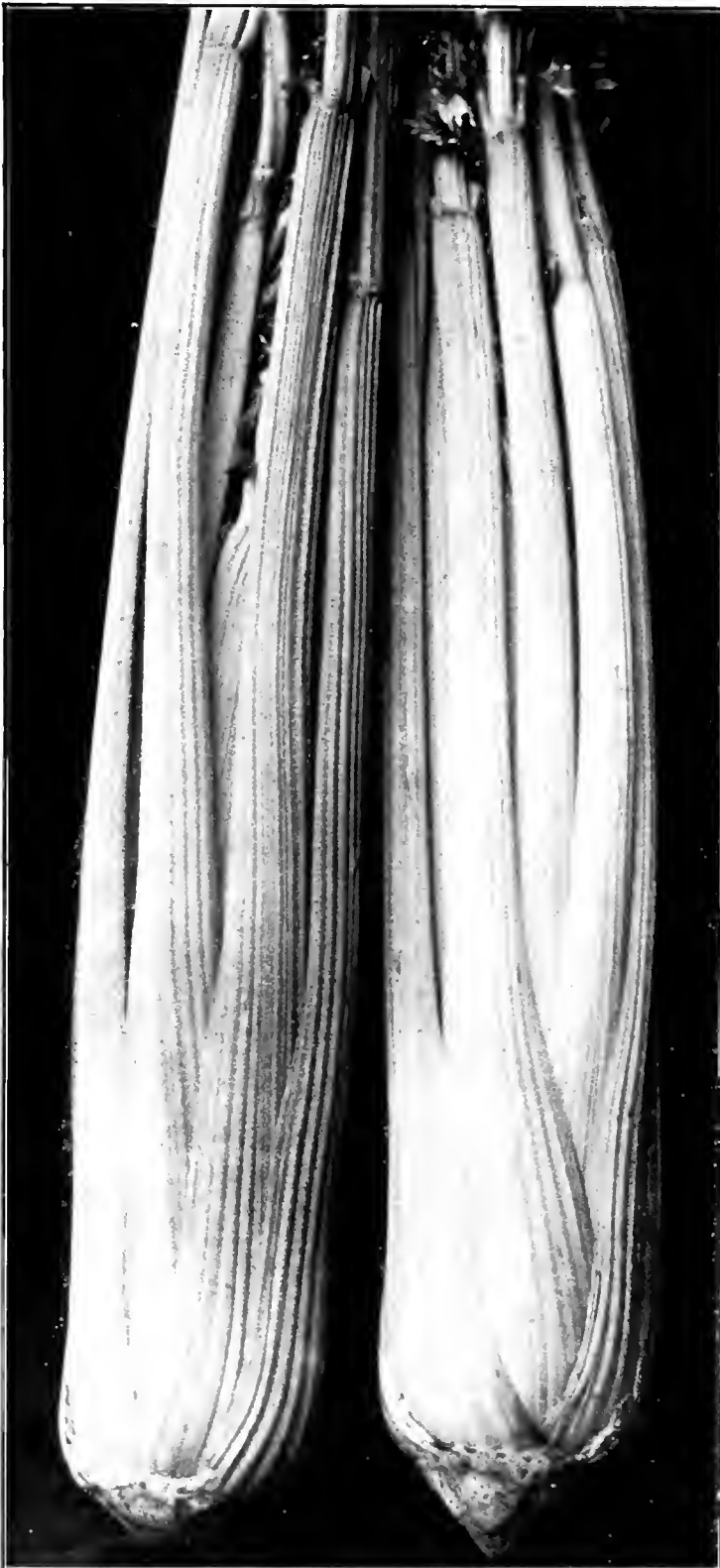
Henderson's White Plume.—Distinct variety; inner leaves being naturally white little blanching is required ... 1s. & 0 6

Wright's Grove White.—Useful for general cultivation; sweet and juicy ... 1s. & 0 6

Wright's Grove Giant White.—Large growing; of fine juicy flavour ... 1s. & 0 6

Large-Rooted Celeriac or Turnip-Rooted Celery (*see also page 168*) ... 1s. & 0 6

RED VARIETIES—
please see next page.



CARTERS SOLID IVORY CELERY.

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CELERY.—*Continued.***CARTERS INCOMPARABLE CRIMSON CELERY.**

Carters Incomparable Crimson Celery (*see Photograph*).—A dwarf-growing, rich-coloured Celery, of clean and refined appearance, very crisp eating, and of delicious flavour. 121 First Prizes reported during the past few seasons.

Price 1s. and 1s. 6d. per packet.

Standard Bearer.—The finest type of giant Red Celery that we know of. First Class Certificate, R.H.S. Some grand heads were included in the First Prize Collection of Vegetables at the Royal Horticultural Society, October, 1905, and this variety also gained the First Prize in the open class for Celery at Shrewsbury. 25 First Prizes reported by customers last year.

Price 6d., 1s., and 1s. 6d. per packet.

Carters Giant Pink.—A superb large-growing variety, specially recommended for Exhibition. At a recent Show several heads of this variety formed part of a Gold Medal Vegetable Collection, and were greatly admired.

Price 1s. and 1s. 6d. per packet.

OTHER RED VARIETIES.

	Per packet—s. d.
Cole's Defiance Red. —Old variety; medium sized heads	1s. & 0 6
Major Clarke's Red. —Well-known large growing variety... ..	1s. & 0 6
Manchester Giant Red. —Large growing; solid and of good colour	1s. & 0 6
Sulham Prize. —Pink variety of good close habit; crisp and sweet flavoured	1s. & 0 6
Wright's Grove Pink. —Medium-sized heads; very crisp; of delicate flavour	1s. & 0 6
Wright's Grove Red. —One of the best varieties; good firm hearts	1s. & 0 6
Williams' Matchless. —Very compact growing; flavour excellent	1s. & 0 6

CELERY SEED FOR FLAVOURING SOUPS, per lb., 2s.

The Cultivation of Celery.—Sow in February on a mild hot-bed for earliest crop, to be pricked out on bottom heat when ready, and transferred to trenches in June. Sow in March in seed pans for main, and in April for late crop. The trenches should be bottomed with rich soil, and the plants liberally watered in August; earth up gradually during August and September, and commence lifting in November.

Carters Seedsmen by Appointment to His Majesty the King—High Holborn, London.



CHICORY.

FORCED HEADS OF CHICORY.

It is only on the Continent one can appreciate the delicate piquancy attached to salads, as they seem to understand them better than we do here. Chicory is a leading ingredient in French salads, and the plant is so easily cultivated that it should be more popular here. The seed is sown in late spring, in a sheltered position on a nice soil, very similar to Carrots, the plants thinned out to about 9 inches apart, and left to grow on until the end of the summer, when the growth will die down, leaving a root somewhat like a Parsnip. These are taken into a shed and kept in a heap of soil away from frost, and transferred to a hothouse when needed to produce their blanched heads during winter. They may also be grown in boxes

For Hints on Cultivation, see page 108.

Price of seed, **6d.** and **1s.** per packet.

Price of roots for forcing, **5s.** per dozen (only available in winter).

CRESS.

	Per quart. s. d.	Per pint. s. d.	Per oz. s. d.
Carters "Parsley Curled." —This selection of Curled Garden Cress is comparable with nothing less than a finely Curled Parsley—hence its name; a distinct advance on the Triple Curled	—	2 6	0 6
Triple Curled. —Extra quick growth	2 6	1 6	0 4
Plain or Common. —For early salads	2 0	1 3	0 3
Curled. —Ordinary stock	2 0	1 3	0 3
Australian Garden	—	—	0 4
American, or Land Cress. See also page 108	—	—	0 4
Watercress. See also page 108... ..	—	—	—

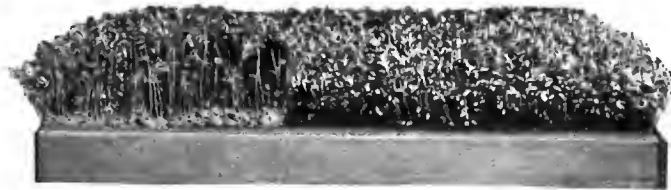
per packet, 6d. and 1s.

MUSTARD.

Carters Finest White. —Very popular for salads... ..	2 0	1 3	0 3
Brown. —Very pungent; the seed largely used for grinding	2 0	1 3	0 3
Chinese. —Black-seeded; fine pungent flavour	—	2 0	0 4

For other Salad Plants, see page 108.

For Herbs, see page 51.



CULTURAL DIRECTIONS.

Mustard and Cress.—Two of the most popular salad plants in cultivation, being in season all the year round. They are both cultivated in a similar manner.

Cultivation.—Use boxes of good fine soil, make the surface flat, and sow the seed rather thickly over the top, just pressing it in to the surface, but without using any covering material. After sowing, water it well. Place the box in moist heat, and cover with boards or thick paper until the seed germinates. Use shallow boxes half filled with soil. Frequent successional sowings should be made all the year round. Good results may be obtained out of doors in the summer by preparing beds of fine soil in the same way as recommended for boxes, and covering the seed when sown with boards or mats until it germinates.

Use.—Cut as soon as ready with a sharp knife. (*See Illustration above.*)

Watercress may be successfully grown if sown in rows in a shady border and well watered. See page 108.

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FRAME CUCUMBER.



CARTERS MODEL CUCUMBER GROWING FOR SEED AT OUR NURSERIES.

Carters Model (*see Photograph*) is one of the handsomest Cucumbers grown, embodying the fine form and general characteristics of *Tender and True* with the prolific habit and strong constitution of the *Telegraph*. Perfect in outline, with scarcely any neck, and of fine flavour, this variety has become popular, both for exhibition and table purposes.

Price 1s. 6d., 2s. 6d., and 3s. 6d. per packet.

ONE HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-NINE FIRST PRIZES REPORTED BY CUSTOMERS DURING THE PAST FEW SEASONS.

Mr. JAMES LAWSON, The Gardens, Horticultural College, Swanley, says: "I cannot speak too highly of Carters *Model* Cucumber. It is still the best for all purposes."

"I find your *Model* Cucumber the best I have ever grown. I cut several hundred from 18 inches to 2 feet long from six plants."—Mr. G. WEBB, Gardener to Marvin Lock, Esq.

Splendid specimens of this very fine Cucumber have been conspicuous in Gold Medal Exhibits at various Shows in the Country.

Carters Seedsmen by Appointment to His Majesty the King—High Holborn, London.



CARTERS IDEAL CUCUMBER GROWING AT OUR NURSERIES FOR SEED.

Carters Ideal (*see Photograph*).—Raised by that champion cultivator, Mr. E. Beckett, head gardener to the Hon. Vicary Gibbs. It is quite an aristocratic variety, both in colour, shape, and flavour. It gained a Cultural Commendation after growth at Wisley.

Price 1s. 6d., 2s. 6d., and 3s. 6d. per packet.

"Your *Ideal* Cucumber is now bearing beautiful fruit, and I am sure there is no better seed on earth than yours."—Mr. G. DUNFORD, Harlow.

Carters Cardiff Castle.—Awarded a Cultural Commendation by the Royal Horticultural Society. The fruit is of a rich emerald colour, perfect in form, growing to a length of about 18 inches. It is remarkably free-bearing and very early.

Price 1s., 1s. 6d., and 2s. 6d. per packet.

Carters Earliest of All.—Has produced perfect fruit in a trial, nine days in advance of all others. It is of good colour, and handsome form.

Price 1s., 1s. 6d., and 2s. 6d. per packet.

Carters Improved Telegraph.—Our highly selected stock is the finest obtainable of this popular variety. Unquestionably one of the best winter Cucumbers; indispensable for forcing, and a great cropper.

Price 1s., 1s. 6d., and 2s. 6d. per packet.

Carters Royal Osborne.—This grand introduction of ours has now become thoroughly established and as an all-the-year-round variety the professional gardener will find it one of the best. It is very prolific and of a rich deep green colour.

Price 1s., 1s. 6d., and 2s. 6d. per packet.

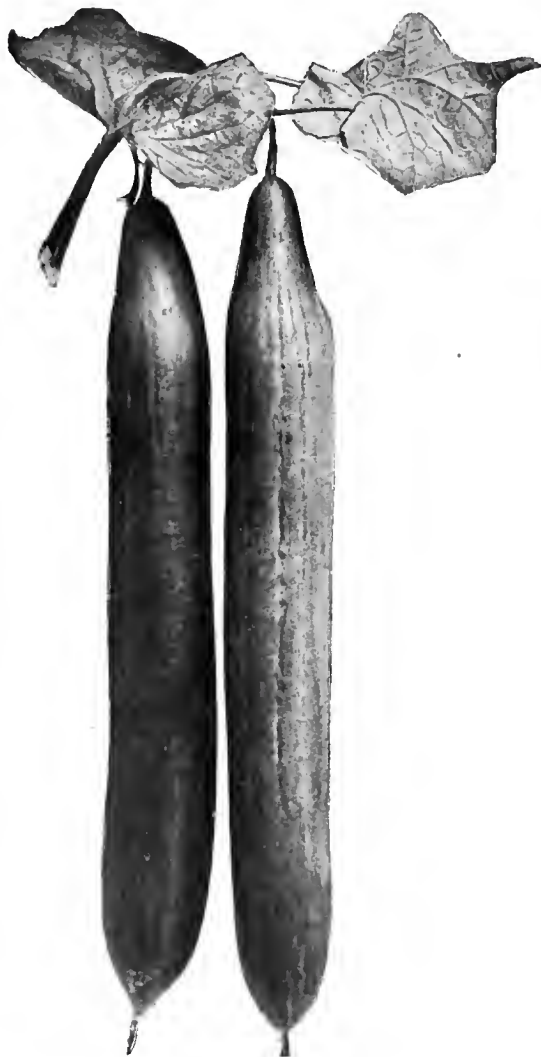
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FRAME CUCUMBER.—*Continued.*

Lockie's Perfection.—A remarkably productive variety, bearing fruits 15 inches in length, perfect models in shape, and of high quality

Per packet—s. d.

Carters Champion	1s. & 1 6
Carters Frame	1s. & 0 6
Blue Gown	1s. & 0 6
Duke of Edinburgh	1s. & 0 6
Every Day	1 0
Lord Kenyon's Favourite	1s. & 0 6
Matchless	1 0
Progress	1 0
Rochford's Market	1 0
Sensation	1 0
Sion House	1s. & 0 6
Tender and True	1s. & 0 6



LOCKIE'S PERFECTION.

RIDGE, OR HARDY CUCUMBER.

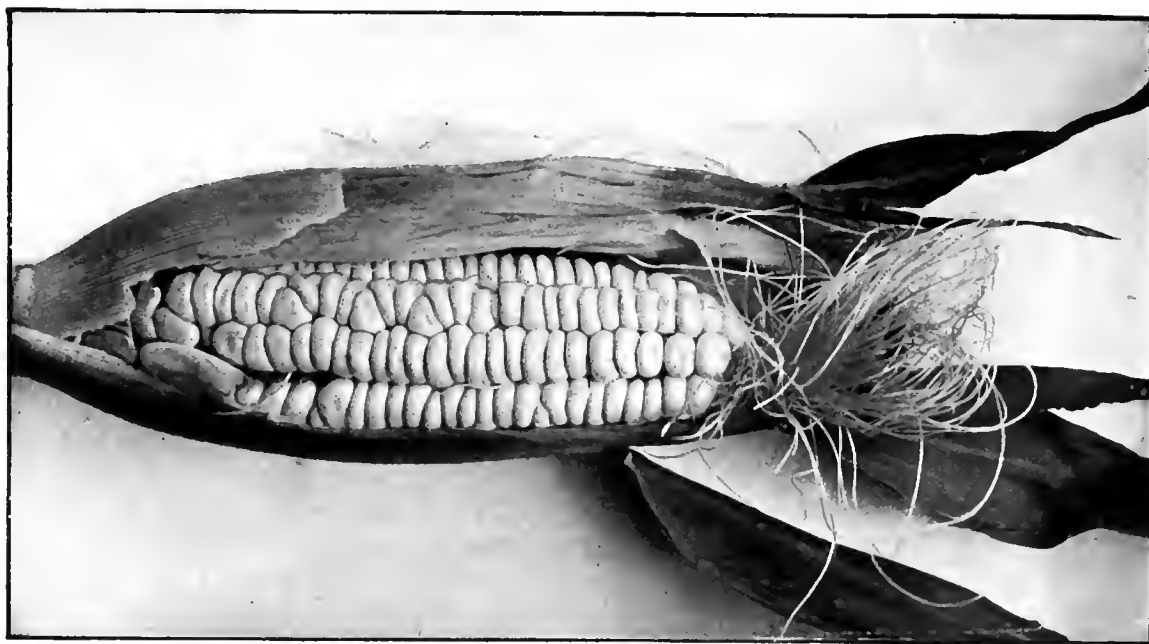
Carters Outdoor Cucumber.—The longest hardy Cucumber. Fruits a good shape and colour, and of fine flavour.

Price 1s. and 1s. 6d. per packet.

Carters Best of All Ridge. —A prolific and useful hardy Cucumber	Per packet—s. d. 1s. & 0 6
Carters Miniature Cluster —The best for pickling or salad	0 6
Carters Prickly Ridge	0 6
Carters Stockwood	0 6
Gherkin. —For pickling	0 6
Short Prickly	0 6

The Cultivation of Frame Cucumber.—Sow in a pot or pan during February or March in heat for summer use, keeping the seed-pan shaded from strong light until the seedlings appear, then transplant to well-prepared hot-bed or other position, when the plants are sufficiently established. If intended for cold-frame culture the plants must not be put out until all danger of frost is past. Sow again in September for winter use on a hot-bed.

The Cultivation of Ridge Cucumber.—Sow on gentle heat in April, and plant out in June into a raised mound in a sunny spot, or sow where intended to grow in early June or sooner if weather is warm.



Several fine cobs were exhibited in Two Gold Medal and Two Grand Prix Collections of Vegetables at the Franco-British Exhibition, 1908.

This Maize is a favourite vegetable dish in Canada, and we are now able to offer an improved type, acclimatized and saved in this country. The demand is increasing as it is more widely known. The cobs are cooked and served whole, and the peculiar sweet nutty flavour is so appreciated that after a trial it will, no doubt, find a permanent place in the Kitchen Garden.

Price **1s.** per packet.

KOHL RABI, or KNOL KHOL.

Carters Earliest White. Carters Earliest Purple.

Price **6d.** and **1s.** per packet.

CULTURAL DIRECTIONS.

DESCRIPTION.—A useful vegetable, not nearly so much cultivated in this country in gardens as it would be were its merits known.

USE.—As a substitute for Turnips, especially in hot dry seasons. The bulb grows entirely out of the ground.

VARIETIES.—There are two varieties in general cultivation, the white and the purple.

CULTIVATION.—Prepare a breadth of good well-manured soil. Drill the seeds in rows about 15 inches apart in May, and thin out to about 9 inches apart. They are ready for use when they attain the size of a small Turnip.

"The *Quite Content* Pea I had from you is a marvel; I have plenty of pods 7 inches long and the envy of all who see them. I think I have had about 70 people to see the peas, including head gardeners."—Mr. T. LAY.

"I have much pleasure in sending you a sample of *Quite Content* Peas from the seeds which I had from you. I am, indeed, pleased with them, there is such a splendid crop, and they are admired by everyone."—W. SILK, Esq.

Carters Address for all Correspondence, **RAYNES PARK, LONDON, S.W.**—1912.

CULINARY ROOTS AND PLANTS.

ASPARAGUS ROOTS.

Asparagus Roots should be planted in their beds directly they are received, as they deteriorate by being kept out of the ground.

Extra strong forcing roots can be supplied in December, and planting roots the end of March if the season is warm and forward; otherwise early in April.

	Per 100—s.	d.
Carters Giant.—3 years old strong roots, for planting	9	0
Carters Giant.—2 years old roots, for planting ...	5	9
Carters Giant.—1 year old roots, for planting ...	3	9
Carters Giant.—Extra strong, for forcing	21	0
Carters Mammoth Emperor.—1 year old roots, for planting	3	9
Carters Mammoth Emperor.—Strong 2 years old roots, for planting	5	9
Carters Mammoth Emperor.—Strong 3 years old ...	9	0

ASPARAGUS SEED.

Sow in April in drills; thin out and transplant from one to two years old.

Carters Mammoth Emperor.—Superior in size.

In large sealed packets, 1s.; 1s. 6d. per ounce.

	Per lb. s. d.	Per oz. s. d.
Batavian	4 0	0 4
Conover's Colossal. —Large	4 0	0 4
Reading Giant	6 0	0 6

GLOBE ARTICHOKE PLANTS.

	s.	d.
Crown or Globe Earliest Drumhead. —The best strong plants, per dozen	9	0

SEED.

Crown Artichoke, Earliest Drumhead. —The finest strain in cultivation, per oz., 2s. 6d.; per packet	1	0
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ARTICHOKE TUBERS.

Jerusalem, Silver-Skinned, per peck of 14 lbs., 2s. 6d.; per bushel of 56 lbs.	8	0
Jerusalem, Red-Skinned, per peck of 14 lbs., 2s.; per bushel of 56 lbs.	7	0
Chinese Artichoke (<i>Stachys tuberosa</i>).—A delicious vegetable of distinct flavour, per lb., 1s.; 3 lbs., 2s. 6d.; 7 lbs.	5	0



CULINARY ROOTS AND PLANTS.

SEAKALE.

Dry roots are available from December to March.

	Per 100. s. d.	Per doz. s. d.
Carters extra strong roots for forcing	17 6	2 6
Carters large roots for forcing	12 6	1 9
Carters good roots for planting	7 6	1 0

SEAKALE SEED.

Lily White	1s. per packet.
Ordinary Seakale	9d. per oz.

RHUBARB ROOTS.

Available from Autumn to Spring.

	Per doz. s. d.	Each. s. d.
Johnson's St. Martin's	10 6	1 0
Scarlet Defiance	10 6	1 0
Myatt's Linnæus	7 6	0 9
Royal Albert	7 6	0 9
Victoria	7 6	0 9
Champagne	7 6	0 9
Strong Roots for Forcing , each 2s. 6d. ; per doz. 24s.		

RHUBARB SEED.

In varieties as above	6d. per packet.
Mixed varieties	6d. „

SHALLOTS, GARLIC, &c.

Carters Mammoth Exhibition Shallots .—Very fine and distinct	s. d.
per lb., 1s. ; per 14 lbs.	12 6
Shallots .—Ordinary variety	9d. ; „ 9 6
Underground or Potato Onions	9d. ; „ 9 6
New Giant Garlic	1s. ; „ 12 6
Garlic .—Ordinary variety	9d. ; „ 9 6

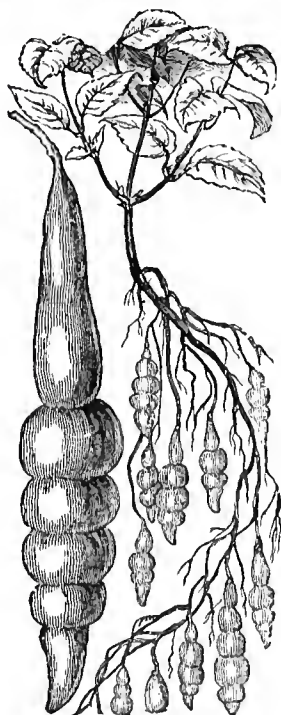
HERB ROOTS, &c.

Balm.	Sorrel.	Horehound.	Hyssop.
Chicory.	Fennel.	Winter Savory.	Wormwood.
Chives.	Rosemary.	Mint.	Marjoram.
Sage.	Pennyroyal.	Lemon Thyme.	Common Thyme.
Rue.	Lavender.	Tarragon.	

Strong Chumps, each 6d. ; per doz. 5s.

HORSE RADISH SETS, 2s. 6d. per doz.

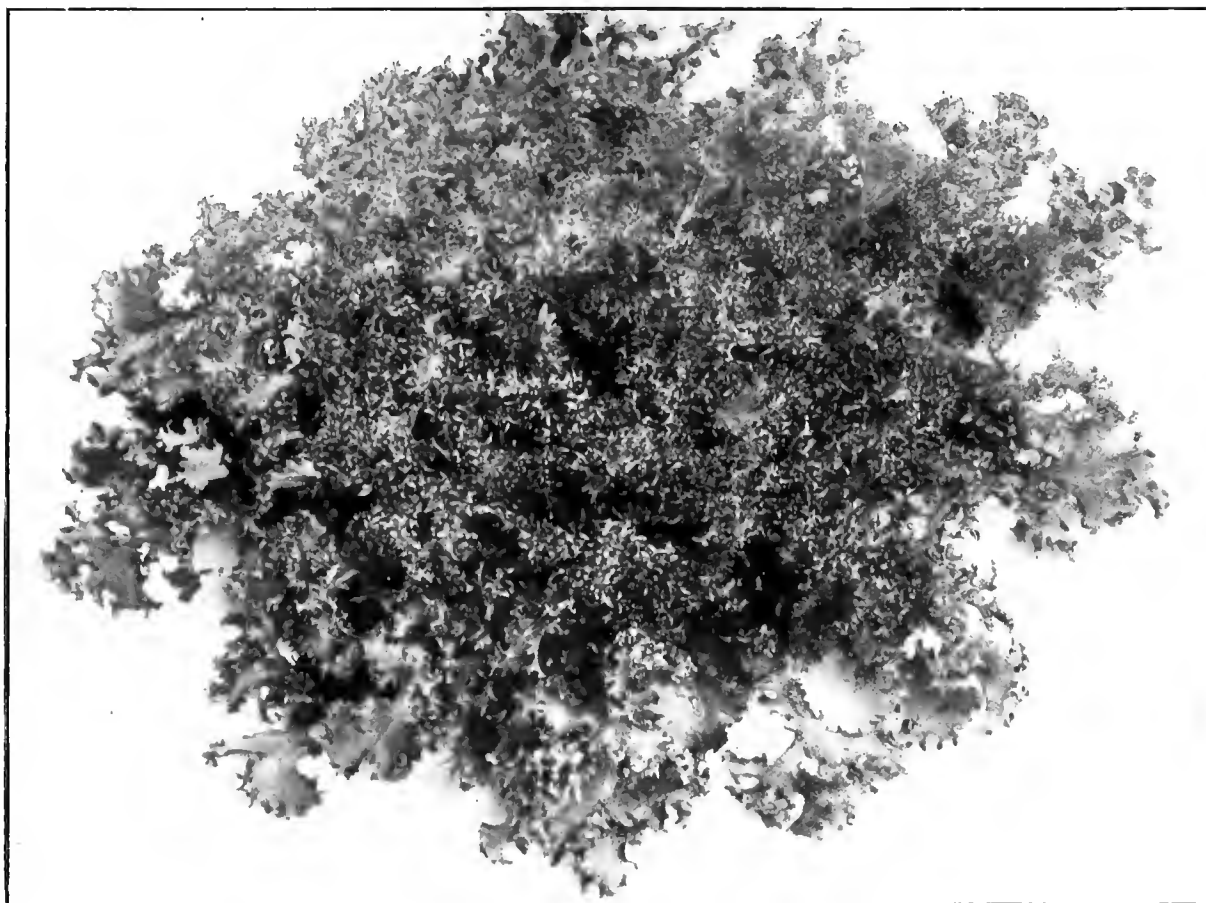
For Herb Seeds, see page 51.



CHINESE ARTICHOKE
(*Stachys tuberifera*).
(See page 48.)

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ENDIVE.



CARTERS MODEL ENDIVE.

				Per pkt. s. d.	Per oz. s. d.
Carters Model (<i>see Photograph</i>).—The most beautiful and perfect form of Curled Endive yet introduced. It is exceedingly ornamental, of a distinct colour, and bleaches admirably	...	6d.	& 1	0	1 6
Carters White Endive .—Superbly curled and lacinated, easily blanched, very tender	...	...	0	6	0 10
Carters French Mossy Curled .—Leaves prettily and finely serrated	...	...	0	6	0 10
Carters Covent Garden Green Curled .—Grown extensively for market; finely curled	...	...	0	6	0 10
Carters Green Curled .—Dwarf, and beautifully curled	...	...	3d.	& 0	6 1 0
Carters White Curled .—Useful, and extensively grown variety	...	...	3d.	& 0	6 1 0

CARTERS OVAL OR PLAIN-LEAVED ENDIVE.

Carters Oval-leaved .—The plain-leaved Endives are by some preferred to the Curled varieties; this variety is the highest type and we strongly recommend it; it is very hardy, of compact habit, and blanches easily	...	6d.	& 1	0	1 6
Carters Round-leaved Batavian .—Very compact and hardy, forms good heart	...	...	3d.	& 0	6 0 10
Green Batavian .—Tender broad leaves, crisp, of good flavour	...	...	3d.	& 0	6 0 10

We have been awarded Two First Class Certificates by the Royal Horticultural Society for our stocks of Endive.

Our Endives were included in the First Prize Collection of Vegetables exhibited at the Vegetable Conference of the Royal Horticultural Society.

The Cultivation of Endive.—Sow for early crops in middle of May, and for succession to beginning of August; transplant from the seed-bed into warm situations, and give protection to the late crops required for spring use. A simple method of blanching is to put an inverted pot over each plant and cover it with leaves or straw.

"With the productions from an Exhibitor's Collection of Seeds I made twelve entries at our show, and secured eleven First Prizes and one Special."—Mr. T. RANDALL, Colgrave.

Carters Seedsmen by Appointment to His Majesty the King—High Holborn, London.

HERBS AND SUNDRY PLANTS.

The following price **6d.** and **1s.** per packet. Our assortment of 12 varieties, **5s.**; 6 varieties, **3s.**

Artichoke, Globe.—Sow on a gentle hot-bed early in March, plant out during May, or may be sown outdoors in April.

Balm.—Used for making balm tea for medicinal purposes, and in some districts for making wine.

Basil, Sweet }
" Bush } For seasoning, and flavouring soups.

Borage.—Grown for salads, and also used for claret cup.

Cardoon.—Sow in April or May on a sunny border; transplant into well-manured trenches in August or September, earth up and blanch in the same way as for Celery. The midrib of the leaf used in salads and soups.

Celeriac or Turnip-Rooted Celery,
 see pages 41 and 108.

Capsicum, Long Red } Sow in heat end of February
" Mixed ... } or beginning of March, prick
 out into small pots for growing
Chili, Small Red ... } on in greenhouse or frame, or
 they may be transplanted to a
 warm border.

Chervil.—Sow in March or April for summer, and again in July for winter use; thin out to about 6 inches apart. Excellent for garnishing and valuable for soups and salads.

Corn Salad or Lamb's Lettuce.—Sow in March and April for summer use, and during August for winter salads, in drills 8 inches apart and thin plants to 4 or 5 inches apart.

Chicory, Carters Improved.—Sow in April and May in good soil; thin out to about 6 inches apart. A splendid acquisition for salads.

Dandelion.—Very useful for winter salads. Sow in May, and thin to from 9 to 12 inches apart.

Egg Plant, Purple { Sow during March in heat, pot off
 when 3 or 4 inches high, and when
" " White { established harden off and place in
 greenhouse for fruit to colour.

Fennel.—Used for fish sauce and for garnishing.

Lavender.—Grown for its aromatic flowers.

Marjoram, Pot ... } Used for stuffings and
" Sweet Knotted } for flavouring soups.

Potato Seed.—Will produce some seedlings of great merit.

Purslain, Golden } The young shoots and leaves are
" Green } used in salads.

Rampion.—Sow on very fine soil in April or May. The leaves are used for salads and by some cooked as Spinach, and the roots used as Radishes.

Rosemary.—Used for garnishing, and in some districts an infusion of the leaves is held to be very beneficial for relieving headache.

Sage.—One of the best known of savoury herbs for sauces and stuffings.

Savory, Summer { Used for flavouring soups, and a sprig
 will be found to impart a piquancy if
" Winter ... { boiled with Peas and Beans.

Seakale.—Sow in drills during March and April from 12 to 15 inches apart, and thin out to 8 inches apart. Transplant in the following spring to well-manured ground. Per oz., 9d.

Sorrel, Broad Leaved } Leaves used in soups, salads,
" Common ... } and sauces.

Thyme.—For sauces, stuffings, and soups.

Whitlæf.—Throws off great profusion of tender leaves, very useful for salads.

Wormwood.—Used as a tonic when infused as tea, very bitter.

See also page 108.

HERB ROOTS, &c.

BALM.	FENNEL.	LEMON THYME.	ROSEMARY.	TARRAGON.
CHICORY.	HOREHOUND.	MARJORAM.	RUE.	WINTER SAVORY.
CHIVES.	HYSSOP.	MINT.	SAGE.	WORMWOOD.
COMMON THYME.	LAVENDER.	PENNYROYAL.	SORREL.	

Strong Clumps of the above, **6d.** each; **5s.** per doz. HORSE RADISH SETS, **2s. 6d.** per doz.

STRAWBERRY SEEDS.

Per packet—s. d.

Alpine and Perpetual Strawberries.—Best grown from Seeds. Sown very early in heat and planted out in May they fruit the same Autumn, sown in April they fruit profusely the following year.

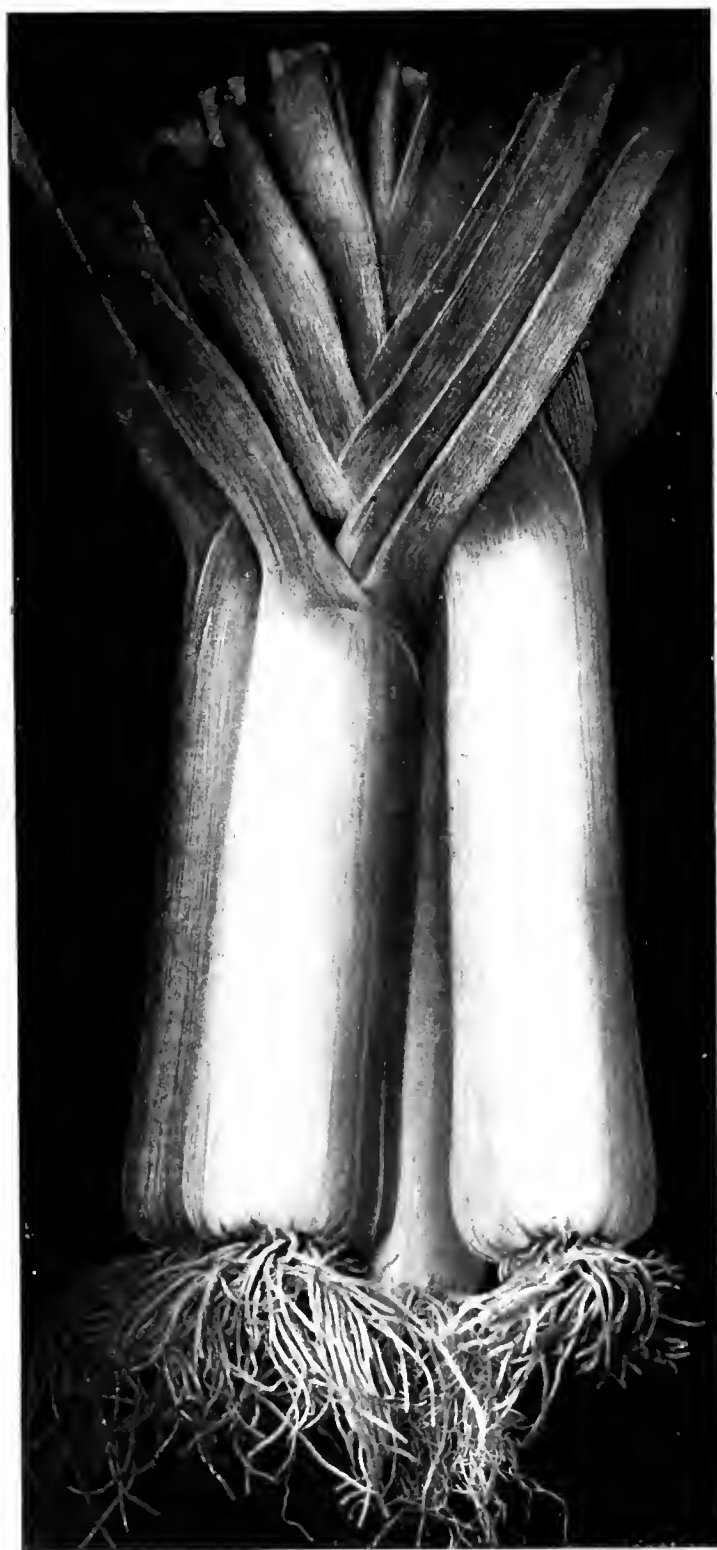
Alpine, Improved Red.—Bright red, large fruit of exquisite flavour, robust; **Improved White**, excellent each 1 0

St. Antoine de Padoue.—Fine large fruit, of rich flavour, very prolific, and perpetual bearer ... 1 6

Saint Joseph.—New large fruited, perpetual, abundant cropper, dark red fruit of excellent quality ... 1 0

Large Fruited Varieties.—Mixed, from the best sorts ... 1 0

Carters Address for all
 Correspondence, *RAYNES PARK, LONDON, S.W.*—1912.



CARTERS HOLBORN MODEL LEEK.

Carters Seedsmen by Appointment to His Majesty the King—High Holborn, London.

LEEK.

266 FIRST PRIZES reported to us
by customers.

Carters Holborn Model

(see Photograph).

The best both for exhibition and table.

The stems are remarkably solid, not quite
so long as Carters *Selected Musselburgh*,
of the clearest white colour, whilst the
flavour is exceedingly delicate.

Price 1s. and 1s. 6d. per packet;
2s. 6d. per ounce.

HOLBORN MODEL LEEKS IN IRELAND.

BELFAST GARDENER'S ACHIEVEMENT. In a recent
issue of the *Evening Telegraph* we referred to a
Leek measuring 3 ft. 6 in. in length which had
been dug up at Bangor (Wales), and which was
regarded as quite a monstrosity of its kind. We
have just had delivered to us, however, two
specimens of this indispensable domestic vegetable
grown by Mr. A. McClure, gardener to
J. J. Kirkpatrick, Esq., J.P., Kineraig, Belfast,
which give the Welsh giant an easy beating in
point of all-round measurement. One of the Leeks
is exactly 4 ft. and the other 3 ft. 7 in. long, and
the larger one measures 7 inches in circumference
at the base. While we question if anyone
could be found gifted with a digestive apparatus
sufficiently strong to properly assimilate the
specimens referred to, we cannot but congratulate
Mr. McClure on having achieved such a notable
record in the department of agriculture.

CARTERS HOLBORN MODEL LEEK was a
very prominent feature in the vegetable
collections, which were awarded Three
Gold Medals and Two Grand Prix at the
Franco-British Exhibition, 1908.

LEEK.—*Continued.*

Carters Selected Musselburgh
(see Photograph).—A splendid selection of this well-known and popular variety; grows to large size, and is recommended for exhibition.

Price 1s. and 6d. per packet;
1s. 9d. per ounce.

Per pkt. Per oz.
s. d. s. d.

The Lyon Leek.—A very popular large variety; widely grown in the North, where it takes many of the leading prizes each year ... 6d. & 1 0 1 9

Ayton Castle.—Good long useful variety; for general cultivation... 0 6 1 0

Carters London, or Broad Flag.—Quick growing; for early use 3d. & 0 6 0 9

Carters Welsh.—Fine large variety; great advance upon Welsh ordinary 3d. & 0 6 0 9

Henry's Prize.—Late variety; of large size; very hardy ... 0 6 1 0

The Cultivation of Leek.—Sow February to April, and transplant into trenches of well-manured soil, say 1 foot in depth, and 20 inches between the plants. In warm weather liberal dressings of liquid manure will be of service, and the plants should be afterwards carefully earthed up to blanch the stems. For exhibition, sow in January in boxes under glass, and transplant early into rich soil.

"Your seeds gave great satisfaction last year."—Mr. D. INGLIS, Gardener to His Grace the Duke of Buccleuch.

"I am pleased to tell you, last year I took eleven firsts, nine seconds, and two third prizes from your seeds with numerous congratulations."—Mr. G. ALLAWAY.

Monthly Operations in the Garden, with Hints on the Cultivation of the Principal Flowers and Vegetables. Post Free, 6d.

CARTERS SELECTED MUSSELBURGH LEEK.

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COS LETTUCE.



CARTERS GIANT WHITE COS.

THIS GRAND LETTUCE IS SELF-FOLDING, AND REQUIRES NO TYING.

Carters Giant White Cos.—This remarkably fine lettuce becomes more popular every season, and is without doubt the best and finest flavoured Cos Lettuce in cultivation. Owing to the self-folding habit it possesses, no tying is required. The heads are very solid and crisp eating. It does not run to seed as quickly as other Cos varieties.

ONE HUNDRED AND FIFTY-ONE FIRST PRIZES REPORTED BY CUSTOMERS DURING THE
PAST FEW SEASONS.

Price 6d., 1s., and 1s. 6d. per packet; 2s. 6d. per ounce.

Carters Seedsmen by Appointment to His Majesty the King—High Holborn, London.

COS LETTUCE.

Continued.



115 FIRST PRIZES
REPORTED BY
OUR CUSTOMERS.

Carters Jumbo Cos (see Photograph).—A distinct summer Lettuce of enormous size. During the hottest period of the year we have seen this Lettuce standing as firm as a rock, and many of the heads when fit to eat weighed from 5 to 6 lbs. each.

THE ROYAL HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY, reporting its trials at Wisley, says:—"Foliage deep green; hearts immense, solid. Excellent flavour. Stood the drought well. Ready July 1st. The largest Lettuce in the collection (39 varieties)."

Our Lettuces were included in the First Prize Collection of Vegetables exhibited at the Vegetable Conference of the Royal Horticultural Society, and also in the Gold Medal Exhibit in 1904.

Price 6d., 1s., and 1s. 6d. per packet; 2s. 6d. per ounce.

Carters Baldwin Cos.—A splendid broad-leaved, crisp-eating, pale green, self-heating Cos Lettuce

	per packet,	1s. & 6d.	2s. 6d.	Per oz. s. d.
Carters Giant Bath Cos. —Most useful for early consumption
Dunnett's Giant Winter Cos. —Very hardy and crisp; fine for end of summer sowing
Black-seeded Bath Cos. —Fine hardy winter variety
Hicks' Hardy Winter White Cos. —Splendid large variety for winter use
Kingsholm Cos. —Good useful sort
London White Cos. —Tall growing and compact
Paris Green Cos. —Darker in growth than <i>Paris White</i>
Paris White Cos. —Fine useful summer variety, good solid white hearts
Sugarleaf Cos. —Distinct, solid, and crisp eating
Superb White Cos. —Fine large hearting variety, blanches well, very crisp
White Cos. —Solid white hearts
Mixed Cos. —Embracing the best varieties...

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CABBAGE LETTUCE.



CARTERS HOLBORN STANDARD LETTUCE.

Carters Holborn Standard (*see Photograph above*).—A Lettuce of extraordinary size and duration. It forms well-developed heads in its early stages and is one of the very last to start for seed. Its leaves are crumpled and crisp, while it is very tender and of excellent flavour, and will provide an abundance of salad during the hottest of English summers. Eighty-one First Prizes reported during the past few seasons. THE ROYAL HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY, reporting its trials at Wisley, says :—"Carters *Holborn Standard* ; hearts large, solid, crisp, good flavour, with crumpled outer leaves tinged with brown. This variety stood the drought well without running to seed."

Price 1s. and 1s. 6d. per packet.

Carters Perpetual.—Award of Merit, Royal Horticultural Society. This is a large handsome Cabbage Lettuce, equally suitable for forcing and for open ground. Its great attraction to us is its resistance to drought. It produces very fine heads of a lively green colour and retains its crisp and tender flavour to the last, its deeply crumpled leaves giving it great substance. Sixteen First Prizes reported by customers last season. THE ROYAL HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY, reporting its trials at Wisley, says :—"Carters *Perpetual*.—Foliage beautifully curled ; a fine stock."

Price 6d., 1s., and 1s. 6d. per packet ; 2s. 6d. per ounce.

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CABBAGE LETTUCE.—*Continued.*



CARTERS HARBINGER FORCING LETTUCE.

Carters Harbinger Forcing (*see Photograph*).—Valuable on account of its extreme earliness. It is not a hearting variety, but being of quick growth produces a quantity of tender leaves which are so much in request for early salads.

Price **6d.** and **1s.** per packet ;
2s. 6d. per ounce.

Carters Endive-Leaved.—This Lettuce is quite distinct. Its leaves are deeply serrated and lacinated, which gives it the appearance of Endive—indeed, a prominent gardener suggested that it might be used in early summer salads, and few could tell but that it was Endive.

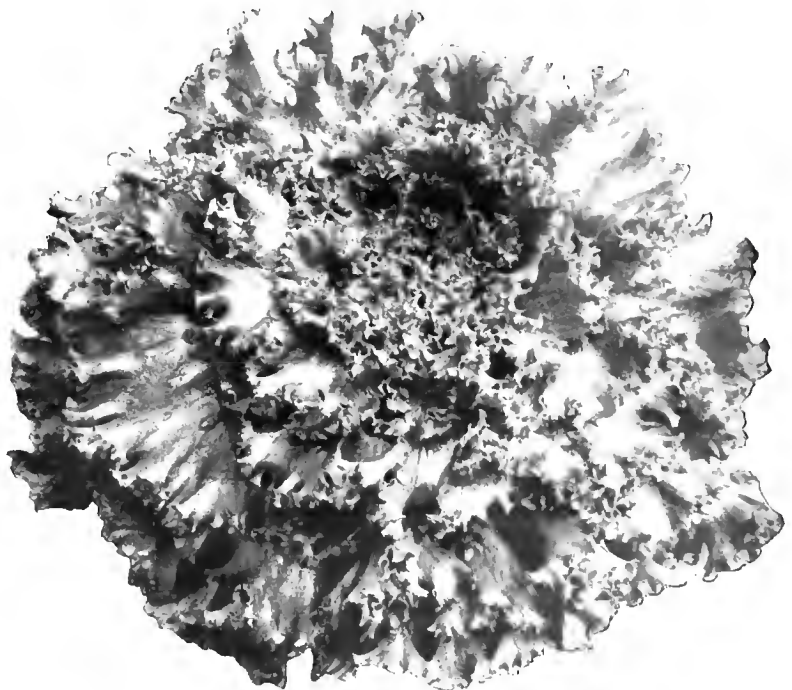
THE ROYAL HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY, reporting its trials at Wisley, says :—" Carters *Endive-Leaved*. Leaves beautifully cut and divided ; a very handsome variety."

Price **6d.** and **1s.** per packet.

Carters Green-Fringed

(*see Photograph*).—Of a very delicate and peculiar shade of green, inner parts of the leaves being white ; the edges are prettily fringed and serrated, the appearance being very striking and pleasing ; useful summer variety.

Price **6d.** and **1s.** per packet.



CARTERS GREEN-FRINGED LETTUCE.

CABBAGE LETTUCE.—*Continued.***CARTERS ROUND-LEAVED CABBAGE LETTUCE.**

Carters Round-Leaved (*see Photograph*).—A hardy flat-shaped variety that can be sown at almost any season; the heads are very compact and firm, solid and white; slow to run to seed. In our own gardens we have repeatedly seen this variety standing firm, when others have bolted.

Price **6d.** and **1s.** per packet; **2s. 6d.** per ounce.

Carters Longstander.—A distinct and valuable variety of great size. From its peculiar habit of growth it is less liable to decay and damage than any other cabbage variety. The colour of the leaf is pale green, and of the most delicious flavour and tenderness.

Price **6d.** and **1s.** per packet; **1s. 9d.** per ounce.

	Per oz.—s. d.		Per oz.—s. d.
Carters All the Year Round. —This is a superb stock; the heads being very solid, white and crisp, and slow to run to seed		Hardy Hammersmith. —The hardiest cabbage variety; for autumn sowing it is invaluable; of compact habit	
per pkt., 6d. and 1s.	1 6	per pkt., 3d. and 6d.	0 10
Commodore Nutt. —Compact and early; hearts solid and of good flavour		Improved Drumhead. —Grows to large size; colour light green	
per pkt., 6d. and 1s.	2 0	per pkt., 6d.	1 3
Grand Admiral. —Hardy; grows to good size; recommended for either spring or autumn sowing		Malta, or Drumhead. —Useful variety for summer salads	
per pkt., 3d. and 6d.	0 10	per pkt., 3d. and 6d.	0 10
Continuity. —Distinct brown-tinged variety; useful for hot dry seasons		Tom Thumb. —Re-selected; fine stock of an old favourite; hearts compact, solid and crisp	
per pkt., 6d. and 1s.	—	per pkt., 6d. and 1s.	1 6
Early Paris Market. —Quick growing; for frame work is one of the best; distinct tinted edge		Victoria. —Large summer variety	
per pkt., 6d. and 1s.	—	per pkt., 3d. and 6d.	0 10
		Mixed Cabbage. —Comprising all the best varieties	
		per pkt., 3d. and 6d.	0 10

The Cultivation of the Lettuce.—Sow in pans on a gentle heat in February, and prick out into a well-manured and warm border. Sow again during March in a protected situation out of doors for early use, and in succession to the end of August for late crops. Young and tender plants may be grown in boxes or frames, and pulled and eaten when small; in this form they make a delicate salad. Water liberally in dry and warm weather.

Carters Seedsmen by Appointment to His Majesty the King—High Holborn, London.



NEW

CARTERS BARNETT HILL FAVOURITE MELON.

The many gratifying reports received from our customers have amply proved our confidence in introducing this grand new Melon and the demand is equally confirmatory of its merits. It is superbly netted, orange-yellow in colour, with white flesh and a splendid flavour; it is free setting and a perfect exhibition variety.

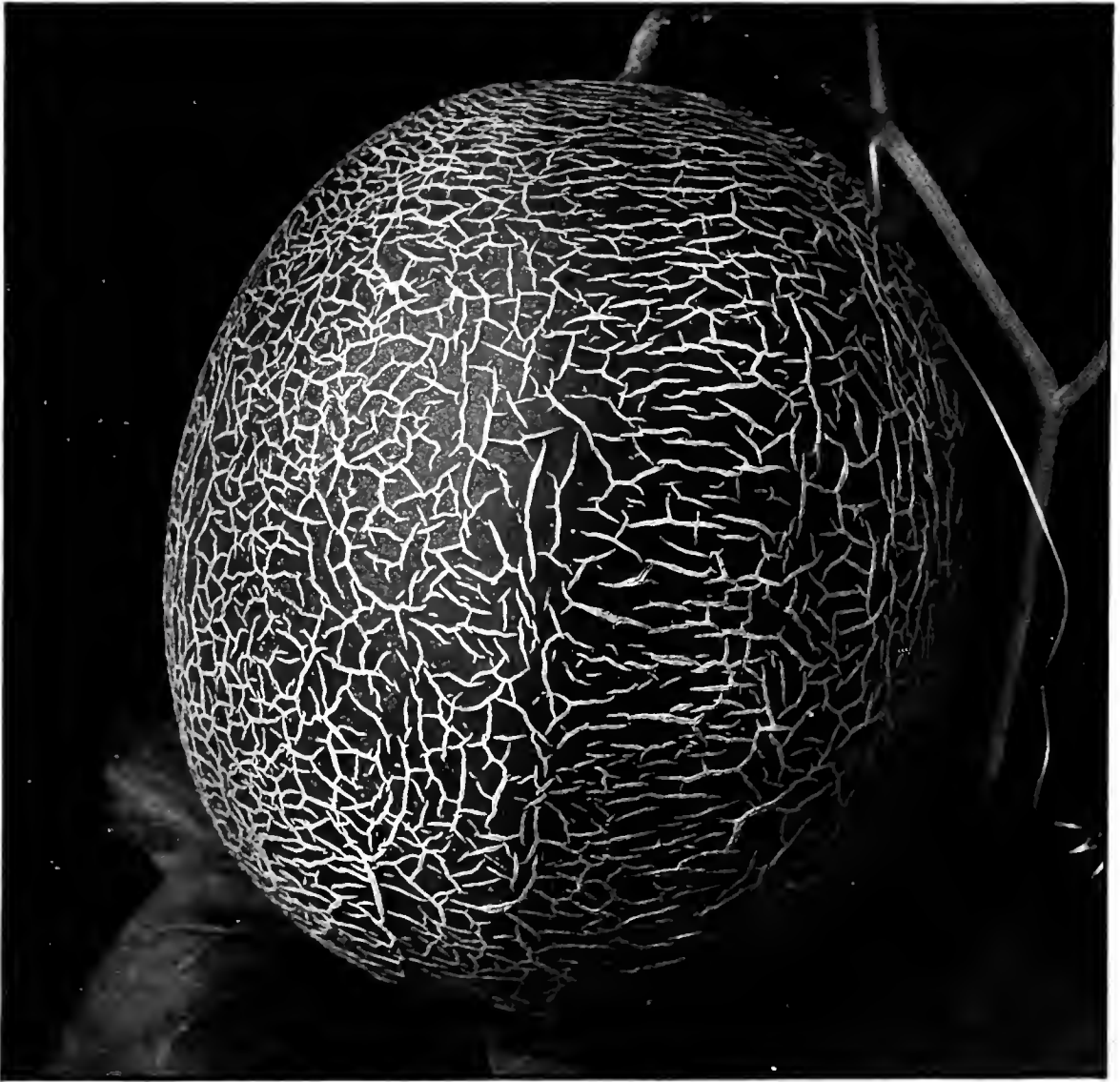
The raiser, Mr. A. Mitchelson, states that the Melon has a strong constitution, is a free setter, juicy and splendid flavour, above the average size, with a rich orange colour, handsomely netted, and is a grand exhibition variety.

Price 2s. 6d. and 3s. 6d. per packet.

Extract from *Gardeners' Chronicle*, August 7th, 1909: "MELON BARNETT HILL FAVOURITE.—The fruit of this variety much resembles *Blenheim Orange*. It has a rich yellow and handsomely netted rind, but white flesh. When the variety was first sent to the Committee last year for opinion, it was decided to try it at Wisley. Plants have been cultivated there this year, and a fruit was tasted at Wisley by a deputation from the Committee on the 27th ult. The fruit then proved to be so good it was unanimously recommended for an Award of Merit. This was granted at the full meeting of the Committee.

Carters Address for all Correspondence, RAYNES PARK, LONDON, S.W.—1912.

THE BEST GREEN-FLESH MELON.



CARTERS EARL'S FAVOURITE MELON.

AWARDED A FIRST CLASS CERTIFICATE, ROYAL HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY.

TWENTY-NINE FIRST PRIZES REPORTED LAST SEASON.

This is without doubt the finest green-fleshed Melon grown; it is a strong grower, free setter, and the fruit is large and beautifully netted, whilst the flavour has been pronounced by many lovers of this luscious fruit to be the very best possible. Price **1s. 6d., 2s. 6d., and 3s. 6d.** per packet.

"I thought you would like to see a sample of your Earl's Favourite Melon. **They were grown in a cool frame** by myself, an amateur. I cut 42 Melons off six plants. There is little doubt this is the best green-flesh Melon grown."

R. P. HUGHES, The Old House,

The Cultivation of Melon.—Sow for first crop in January, and plant when ready into pits or on slabs filled with good maiden loam and well rotted manure, adding a dressing of fine soil to the surface and bringing the plants as near the light and glass as possible. It is essential that a regular temperature be secured rather than a high degree of heat. Keep a moist buoyant atmosphere during growth and give air freely when fruit is ripening, checking the supply of water to develop flavour. The frame varieties are sown later, and kept under glass until the season is sufficiently advanced for them to be put out on a warm heap of soil in the frame.

Carters Seedsmen by Appointment to His Majesty the King—High Holborn, London.



CARTERS BLENHEIM ORANGE MELON.

The finest flavoured and most popular scarlet-flesh Melon in cultivation.

FIRST CLASS CERTIFICATE, ROYAL HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY.

Carters Blenheim Orange.—This Melon is remarkably prolific, has a grand constitution, is a very fine setter, and may be described as a perpetual bearer, ripening in a short space of time. The fruit is superbly netted, the flesh deep and solid, and a special and distinctive feature is the evenly-defined and thin rind. Seventy-two First Prizes reported by customers during the past few seasons.

Price 1s. 6d., 2s. 6d., and 3s. 6d. per packet.

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MELONS.—

Continued.



CARTERS HARDY FRAME MELON.

It is many years since the Royal Horticultural Society awarded us their First Class Certificate for a Melon that could be easily grown without heat. In **Carters Hardy Frame** we offer a variety specially suitable for amateurs who do not possess the convenience necessary for cultivating the more tender Melons. The fruits are large, ribbed, and the flesh a rich scarlet colour.

"I should like to recommend your *Hardy Frame* Melon. This has been a great success; it bears profusely, sets well, and is very little trouble, and the fruits are of good size and satisfactory flavour. It should become a boom to all those growers who only have frame room at their disposal."—Mr. W. A. Cook, Head Gardener to Sir Edmund G. Loder, Bart.

Everyone who has a frame is recommended to give it a trial.

Price 1s. and 1s. 6d. per packet.

Carters Holborn Favourite.—Fruit of the largest size, roundish ovate; rind lemon colour, heavily netted; flesh, greenish-white; flavour, sweet, melting, and juicy; habit of plant, strong and vigorous; a free setter and a great bearer. Price 1s., 1s. 6d., and 2s. 6d. per packet.

Carters British Queen.—Best white-flesh Melon. This grand cream-flesh Melon is a cross between *Hero of Lockinge* and *Royal Ascot*, and was awarded the First Class Certificate of the Royal Horticultural Society. Pronounced by the Committee to be the very best flavoured white-flesh Melon ever submitted. Also awarded a Gold Medal, Royal Caledonian Horticultural Society, in association with other fruit exhibited from the Royal Gardens, Windsor.

Price 1s., 1s. 6d., 2s. 6d., and 3s. 6d. per packet.

Carters Green Gage.—A "perfect" green-flesh Melon; flavour delicious. Price 1s., 1s. 6d., and 2s. 6d. per packet.

Carters Amberwood Beauty.—A very handsome green-flesh Melon, the result of a cross between *Hero of Lockinge* and *Read's Scarlet Flesh*. Price 1s., 1s. 6d., and 2s. 6d. per packet.

Carters Emerald Gem.—Very prolific. Price 1s., 1s. 6d., and 2s. 6d. per packet.

The following sorts can also be supplied:—

	Per packet—s. d.		Per packet—s. d.
Hero of Lockinge. —Pale flesh ...	... 6d. & 1 0	Little Heath. —Hardy, scarlet flesh ...	... 6d. & 1 0
Ingestre Hybrid. —White flesh ...	... 6d. & 1 0	Syon House Perfection. —Green flesh ...	... 6d. & 1 0

Carters Seedsmen by Appointment to His Majesty the King—High Holborn, London.

CARTERS MUSHROOM SPAWN.

(SPECIAL "MILLTRACK" BRAND.)



Cultural Hints.

To grow Mushrooms successfully, the following requirements are essential :—Procure fresh stable manure (straw litter manure, not peat litter), shake out well, leaving as little straw as possible; the better the manure the better the bed will bear. After shaking out stack your short manure closely like as for the preparation of a hot-bed, and there let it remain for a week to have a good heating, then turn it over and place what has been outside the heap into the centre; repeat this turning at intervals of three days, four turnings should be sufficient, and if dry, use water enough to moisten it gradually at each turning, this will get the material into right condition for the beds, as moisture is one of the most important points to study and the right texture of the material depends almost entirely upon this proper state of moisture.

If you get your material right in this respect, whatever shape you make your beds, whether flat beds or ridges, you will not be likely to experience any trouble afterwards. It should be remarked here that the ideal temperature is 55° to 60°, but Mushrooms do come at a much lower temperature but very slowly; but a higher temperature than 60° should be avoided if possible.

CARTERS SPECIAL MUSHROOM SPAWN.

1 Brick	...	6d., post free, 9d.	|	4 Bricks	..	1s. 6d., post free, 2s.
16 Bricks (1 bushel)	...				...	5s., carriage free, 6s.

Special prices for quantities.

Mushroom Culture (Illustrated) enclosed with all orders.

Russian Mats for Plant Protection.

BEST ARCHANGEL ...	...	...	...	...	size, 9 ft. × 4½ ft., each 2s. od. ; per doz. 21s. od.
.. SIBERIAN ...	...	...	...	...	size, 8 ft. × 4 ft., each 1s. 9d. ; per doz. 18s. 6d.
.. HEAVY ST. PETERSBURGH ...	...	...	...	...	size, 7 ft. × 4 ft., each 1s. 9d. ; per doz. 16s. od.
.. CLOSE WOVEN	size, 7 ft. × 3½ ft., each 1s. od. ; per doz. 10s. 6d.
ROUGH CARGO MATS, for covering mushroom beds, packing, &c. ...					per doz. 7s. 6d.

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CASH PRIZES FOR 1912.

JAMES CARTER & Co., Seedsmen to His Majesty the King, High Holborn, and Raynes Park, London, S.W., undertake, upon being furnished with certified evidence, to duplicate First, Second, or Third Money Awards made to the exhibitors who show the products of Seeds and Potatoes from purchases made by the exhibitor from this Catalogue above 10s. in value, and obtained direct from Messrs. Carters establishment during the twelve months ending June 30th, 1912. The said duplication will be limited to the value of the purchase but exhibits of exceptional merit will be treated with liberality at the option of Messrs. Carter.

The products to be of the exhibitor's own growth, and in case of any dispute as to purchase, &c., an invoice of the seeds purchased must be produced if required, and the specimens are to be staged in accordance with the regulations of the Society. This offer does not apply to special prizes offered by Firms and other Patrons.

EXAMPLE.—If 10s. or 20s. are offered by the Society as Prizes for, say, the best dish of Peas, James Carter & Co. will award an equal amount if their customer gains one or other of them, providing his purchase extends to 10s. or 20s., and that he has carried out the above conditions.

Customers intending to claim the advantages of these Special Prizes must notify the fact to us a week before the day of the Show, stating the names of the Vegetables, Potatoes, or Flowers they intend to stage, when we will send neatly named cards, which must be exposed to view on the exhibits during the whole time of the Show, or if not we may withhold the prizes. We shall also send the applicant a sheet on which to record his prizes to save the Secretary unnecessary work.

IMPORTANT.—If this announcement does not appear in the Prize Schedule of the Horticultural Show in the intending Competitor's district, the offer must be considered cancelled. We are always pleased to hear from our Customers of their intention to compete, and in the event of their winning open prizes, we may decide to give them an honorarium for the trouble.

These Prizes are open to Messrs. Carters Customers, but not available to Market Growers, Seedsmen, Nurserymen, or Horticultural Traders.

PRIZES IN OPEN COMPETITIONS.

We have received the following records of Prize-winnings from our customers gained in open competition with the produce of our Vegetable and Flower Seeds at Horticultural Exhibitions in various parts of the Country, enabling us to compile an extraordinary list of successes. We regret that space will not permit extended reports, but we are always pleased to hear of our customers successes.

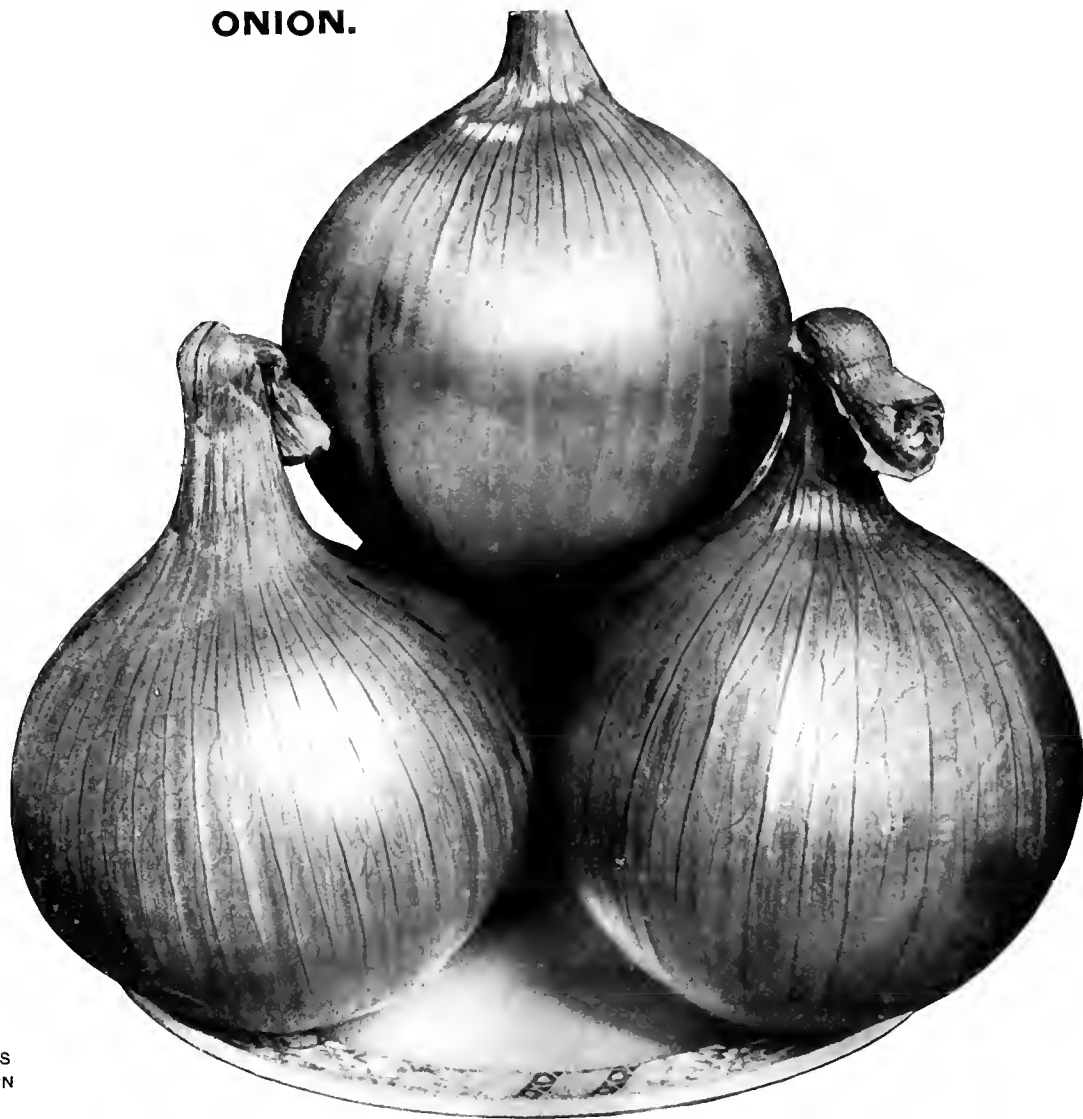
28,961 Prizes reported by customers.

Southern Counties	...	...	...	...	9,143 Prizes in Open Competition against all Comers.
Eastern Counties	...	...	...	...	2,329 Prizes in Open Competition against all Comers.
Western Counties	...	...	...	...	5,426 Prizes in Open Competition against all Comers.
Midland Counties	...	...	...	...	7,558 Prizes in Open Competition against all Comers.
Northern Counties	...	...	...	...	1,953 Prizes in Open Competition against all Comers.
Wales, Ireland Scotland, &c.	2,552 Prizes in Open Competition against all Comers.

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ONION.



CARTERS
HOLBORN
ONION.

NEW AND STANDARD VARIETIES FOR SPRING SOWING.

CARTERS HOLBORN (*see Photograph*).—Equally valuable for exhibition and for table purposes. Perfect in shape, it grows to a large size, and is distinct in colour of skin from other Globe varieties. It is a capital keeper, and the delicate flavour nearly approaches that of the imported Spanish Onions sold by grocers and fruiterers. May also be sown in the autumn.

Price **1s.** and **6d.** per packet ; **2s.** per ounce.

Carters Early Wonder.—A small globe Onion, maturing with great rapidity, thus leaving the ground vacant very early for the next crop ; its keeping qualities are also remarkable.

CROP FAILED.

Carters Tennis Ball.—This magnificent Onion is specially adapted for early sowing ; the flavour is mild and delicate, and as an exhibition variety in summer it is invaluable.

Price **1s.** and **6d.** per packet ; **2s.** per ounce.

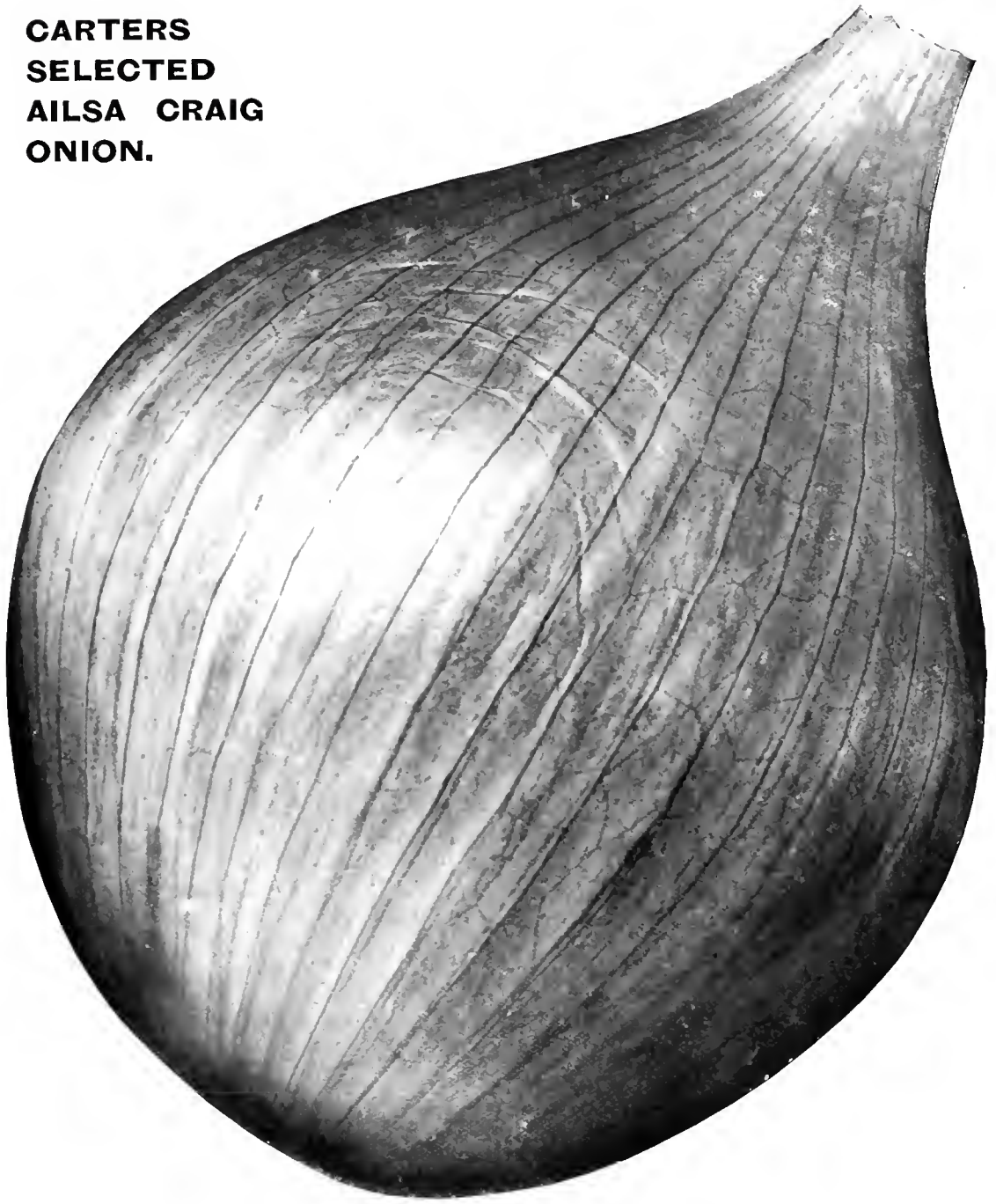
Carters Long Keeper.—Will remain sound the year round if properly kept.

"I am sending some examples of your Long-keeping Onion, grown in 1900, and it is now October 5th, 1901. Gardeners about here hardly believe it."—J. L., BLACKHEATH.

Price **1s.** and **6d.** per packet ; **2s.** per ounce.

Carters Silver Ball.—A pretty, medium-sized white globe Onion of fine texture and mild flavour. It makes a nice contrast on the exhibition table. Price **1s.** and **6d.** per packet ; **2s.** per ounce.

**CARTERS
SELECTED
AILSA CRAIG
ONION.**



Carters Selected Ailsa Craig (*see Photograph above*).—We offer a very fine strain of this popular Onion, which, on account of its enormous size, is in great demand amongst exhibitors of vegetables. It is a good keeper, and is much liked and recommended on account of its acceptable, delicate, and pungent flavour. Suitable for autumn or spring sowing. **THREE HUNDRED AND TWELVE FIRST PRIZES REPORTED DURING THE PAST FEW SEASONS.**

Price **6d.**, **1s.**, **1s. 6d.**, and **2s. 6d.** per packet ; **3s. 6d.** per ounce.

Carters Seedsmen by Appointment to His Majesty the King—High Holborn, London.

CARTERS RECORD ONION.



Carters Record Onion increases in favour each season, and is already exceedingly popular. It can be sown either in the autumn or spring; but if large bulbs are desired, autumn sowing is recommended. It will be remembered that a specimen, illustrated in the *Gardening World*, turned the scale at $4\frac{1}{2}$ lbs.; this was probably the heaviest Onion ever grown.

THE LARGEST ONION GROWN.

"I grew *Record* Onions last year up to $2\frac{1}{2}$ lbs. in weight."—
Mr. O. CLARIDGE, Oundle.

"I grew over $1\frac{1}{2}$ tons of *Record* Onions from the ounce of seed I had from you last year."—Mr. HENRY SPICK, Market Gardener, Boston.

Price, 6d., 1s., 1s. 6d., and 2s. 6d. per packet; 3s. 6d. per ounce.

We hold records of 441 First Prizes having been gained by Customers.

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CARTERS WHITE SPANISH ONION—RE-SELECTED.

Carters White Spanish—A Re-selected Stock (*see Photograph*).—Our stock of this popular variety has been very carefully selected by us, and is offered as the most perfect form of the Banbury type it is possible to procure. It grows to a very large size, is of a pale yellow colour, and good flavour

	Per packet.	Per oz. s. d.		Per packet.	Per oz. s. d.
Carters Blood Red. —Splendid deep blood red colour, of medium size	6d. & 1s.	1 3	Magnum Bonum	3d. & 6d.	1 0
Carters Brown Globe. —Fine shape and colour, good flavour	3d. & 6d.	0 10	Nuneham Park	3d. & 6d.	1 0
Carters Spanish. —Of fairly large size, pale in colour, and mild flavour	3d. & 6d.	1 0	Reading	3d. & 6d.	1 0
Carters White Globe. —Good medium-size variety, of mild flavour	3d. & 6d.	1 0	Rousham Park Hero	6d.	1 3
Carters Deep Red. —As its name implies it is one of the finest coloured onions grown	3d. & 6d.	1 0	The Queen. —A miniature	6d. & 1s.	1 6
Anglo-Spanish. —Grows to fairly large size and possesses fine flavour	3d. & 6d.	1 0	White Spanish. —Ordinary	3d. & 6d.	0 10
Banbury Improved. —Of good size and mild flavour	6d. & 1s.	1 6			
Bedfordshire Champion. —This is an old favourite with many gardeners, a splendid keeper, of mild flavour	3d. & 6d.	1 0			
Cranston's Excelsior. —A fine variety, of good shape, suitable for exhibition purposes	6d. & 1s.	1 6			
Covent Garden Pickling. —A splendid pickling variety much in demand	6d.	1 3			
	Per packet.	Per oz. s. d.			
Deptford	3d. & 6d.	1 0			
Giant Zittau	3d. & 6d.	1 0			
Improved Reading	6d.	1 3			
James' Keeping	3d. & 6d.	1 0			

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CARTERS PEARL PICKLER ONION.

Carters Pearl Pickler (*see Photograph*).—This is the genuine miniature Onion that is preserved in white vinegar, and found on the tables at the leading hotels.

Price **1s.** and **6d.** per packet ; **2s.** per ounce.

ONIONS FOR SPRING OR AUTUMN SOWING.

THESE VARIETIES, IF SOWN IN SPRING, WILL PRODUCE A GOOD CROP, BUT THE ONIONS WILL NOT BE SO LARGE AS IF SOWN IN THE AUTUMN AND TRANSPLANTED.

Carters Autumn Giant.—A very large white-skinned Onion, mild and agreeable flavour.

Price **6d.** and **1s.** per packet ; **1s. 6d.** per ounce.

Carters Golden Globe Tripoli.—A large variety, similar in size to the *Giant Rocca*. The skin is of a transparent golden-straw colour, and it will be found invaluable in exhibition collections.

Price **6d.** and **1s.** per packet ; **1s. 6d.** per ounce.

Carters Record.—The Champion Exhibition Onion. *See Photograph, page 67.*

Carters Selected Ailsa Craig.—*See Photograph, page 66.*

Per oz.—s. d.

Carters Giant White Tripoli.—Especially suitable for culinary purposes and exhibition, a rather tender Onion on heavy soils; ripens very early per packet 6d. & 1s. **1 6**

Giant Rocca.—A fine large Onion. The original variety „ 3d. & 6d. **1 0**

Carters White Emperor.—Unquestionably the finest form of flat Onion in cultivation, with silvery-white skin and flesh of a most agreeable mild flavour.

Price **6d.** and **1s.** per packet ; **1s. 6d.** per ounce.

“Your *White Emperor* Onion is by far the best I know for autumn sowing. I have a splendid lot now fit for use.”—Mr. T. CLIPSTONE, Gardener to Viscount Downe, Dingley.

THE FOLLOWING AUTUMN-SOWING VARIETIES CAN ALSO BE SUPPLIED :—

Globe Tripoli	per packet	3d. & 6d.	0 10
Large Red Genoa	„	3d. & 6d.	0 10
Large Red Italian	„	3d. & 6d.	0 9

Lisbon	per packet	3d. & 6d.	0 9
Red Mammoth Tripoli	„	3d. & 6d.	1 0
Silver-Skin	„	3d. & 6d.	1 0

Giant Lemon Rocca, 6d. and 1s. per packet ; 1s. 6d. per ounce.

The Cultivation of Onion.—The ground cannot well be too rich for this crop, nor the soil in too fine a condition. February and March are the chief seasons for sowing. The soil must be made firm before the operation is undertaken in either beds or drills. The seed should be sown thinly and covered lightly, the drills 12 inches apart, and the young Onions thinned out to about 6 inches apart, according to the variety. In very dry weather a good watering is very beneficial. Growers of Onions for exhibition generally transplant, and this is also a sure means of checking the onion grub, so troublesome in some districts. Some of the larger growing varieties are generally sown in autumn and transplanted in spring, when under fair conditions enormous exhibition specimens are obtained.

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CARTERS CRESTED BOUQUET PARSLEY.

A DISTINCT SUPERB PARSLEY.

Carters Crested Bouquet (*see Photograph*).—A Parsley of very attractive appearance, both in the garden and on the table; of very dwarf compact growth, all its strength being thrown into the exquisite curls of its leaves, giving it a pretty crested appearance; without doubt the most perfect variety in cultivation. THE ROYAL HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY'S report at Wisley reads:—"Carters *Crested Bouquet* Parsley. A beautifully deep curled variety of sturdy, compact habit."

Price 1s. and 1s. 6d. per packet; 2s. 6d. per ounce.

Carters Fern-Leaved Parsley.—Exquisitely perfect in form and colour; quite fern-like, and highly ornamental; for garnishing purposes it is ideal.

Price 6d. and 1s. per packet; 1s. 6d. per ounce.

Carters Parsleys gained Three Awards of Merit, R.H.S., 1908.

The Cultivation of Parsley.—Sow the seeds thinly in beds any time from February until the end of June. In dry seasons it is an advantage to water the beds, as the seeds will sometimes lie a long while dormant.

Carters Seedsmen by Appointment to His Majesty the King—High Holborn, London.



CARTERS PERPETUAL PARSLEY.

Carters Perpetual (*see Photograph*).—A distinct and valuable curled variety that does not annually run to seed. It has stood with us upon the same land *for four years before seeding*.

Price 6d. and 1s. per packet; 1s. 6d. per ounce.

Carters Emerald Green.—Award of Merit R.H.S. This excellent stock of Parsley is becoming very popular, and was picked out by the Committee of the R.H.S., 1908, as being worthy of an Award of Merit. The colour is of a very rich deep green; habit taller and more branching than our celebrated *Champion Moss Curled* it is also very quick in developing and should prove of great value to market growers.

Price 6d. and 1s. per packet; 1s. 6d. per ounce.

Carters Champion Moss Curled.—A very close, handsome Parsley; both useful and ornamental.

Price 6d. per packet; 1s. per ounce.

		Per oz. —s. d.
Carters Curled. —Compact and hardy; beautifully curled	per packet 3d. & 6d.	0 10
Covent Garden Garnishing. —A free-giving variety for market work...	per packet 3d.	0 6
Myatt's Garnishing. —A good rich green with long leaf	per packet 3d. & 6d.	0 10
Giant Scotch Curled. —Large robust, good cropper	per packet 3d. & 6d.	0 10
Double Curled. —Useful for cottage gardens	per packet 3d.	0 6

For Collection of Green Peas—June to November—see page 101.

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PARSNIP.

CARTERS MALTESE PARSNIP.

A SUPERB GIANT PARSNIP FOR EXHIBITION OR TABLE USE.

Carters Maltese (*see Photograph*).—WE HOLD RECORDS OF 389 FIRST PRIZES HAVING BEEN TAKEN DURING THE PAST FEW SEASONS.

We are confident in stating that this highly selected strain cannot be surpassed, either for size or flavour; the roots which attain to a very large size being quite as tender and sweet flavoured as most varieties which do not reach one-half the size.

Price 3d. and 6d. per packet; 9d. per ounce.

"Your seeds turned out splendidly last year; I had wonderful crops, some of the *Maltese* Parsnips weighed 4 lbs. 2 ozs. each and were quite sweet and succulent, not a bit strong in consequence of the size."—Mrs. PHILLIPS, Rathfarnham.

"I am pleased to tell you that I have been very successful with your seeds. On Thursday last I took 25 First and 12 Second Prizes. I think your *Maltese* Parsnips can't be matched for Exhibition. I grew them 5 feet long, beautifully clean. Your *Model* Leek is also a splendid one for Exhibition."—Mr. A. E. BURGE, The Gardens, Manor House, Charmouth.

Per packet—s. d.

Carters Long Parsnip.—Fine variety, of splendid flavour ... 3d. & 0 6

Hollow Crown.—An old favourite ... 3d. & 0 6

Improved Jersey Marrow.—Selected stock, good medium size ... 3d. & 0 6

The Student.—Extremely delicate flavour ... 3d. & 0 6

The 6d. packets of above are about 1 ounce each.

The Cultivation of Parsnip.—Sow the seed early in March as soon as the season will permit. The ground should be well manured and deeply trenched; the drills about 15 inches apart, and the plants thinned out the same distance apart.

CARTERS MALTESE PARSNIP

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CARTERS HOLBORN MARROW PARSNIP.

A SWEET DELICATE-
FLESHED VARIETY.

Carters Holborn Marrow

(see Photograph).—A truly refined Parsnip. When lifted it leaves the ground clean, smooth, and well shaped. It is not so large in growth as our *Maltese*, but its flavour is unusually marrow-like and delicate. Our picture very inadequately depicts its merits.

6d. per packet ; 1s. per ounce.

THE ROYAL HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY, reporting its trials at the Experimental Grounds, says :—
"Roots thick, handsome, and not too large, but just the size and shape a Parsnip should be."

"The *Holborn Marrow* Parsnip is the most delicious I ever tasted, and it deserves all you say about it."—J. FREEMAN, Esq., Chard.

"I use no other seeds than yours for my showing purposes, and am pleased to be able to tell you that I have had very excellent results up to the present. I have recently taken up a carrot grown from your *Red Elephant* seed 2½ lbs. in weight."—L. W. H. Wheeler, Esq.

SEEDS FOR ABROAD.

Collections carefully arranged and suitably packed for all climates. By our special patent process of exhausting the dampness (not only from the seeds themselves, but also from the Packing Paper) the heat and

moisture of the Tropics is negated, and the germ lies dormant until the tin is unpacked and the Seed sown.

FURTHER PARTICULARS OF SEEDS FOR ABROAD, see page 263.

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EARLIEST GARDEN PEAS.

Height 1 foot to 15 inches.



**CARTERS
EIGHT WEEKS
PEA.**

**Carters
Eight Weeks.**

**For Forcing
or
Border Work.**

*The earliest
Border Pea in
the World.*

**Carters Eight Weeks
proved again to be the
earliest Pea of all in
our Gardens last year.**

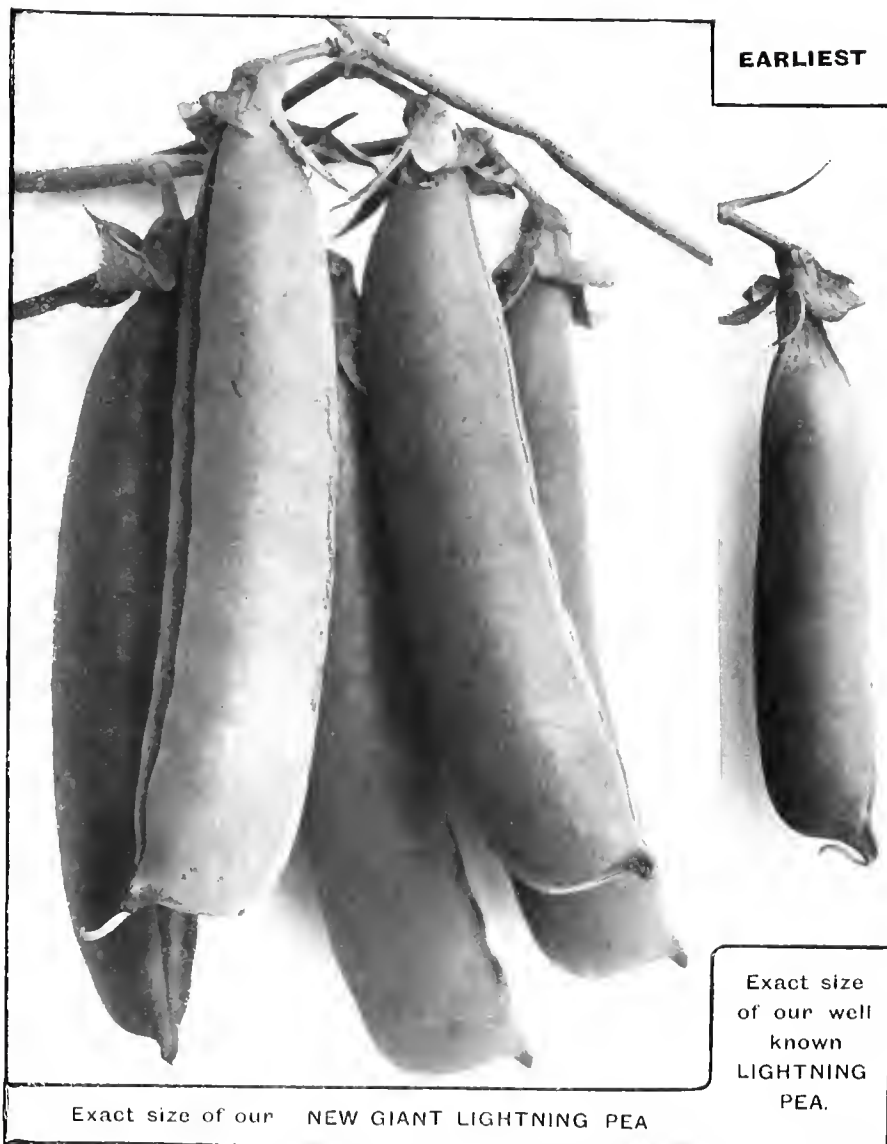
Carters Eight Weeks (*Green Round, 15 inches*)—The Earliest Dwarf Pea in the world. A very hardy Marrowfat, possessing all the good points of the best type *American Wonder*, which was one of its parents. As both a forcing and an early border variety it has become a boon to gardeners whose demands are heavy early in the season. The seed is slightly dented, and of the same colour as its other parent *William the First*. The pods are freely produced, and well filled with sweet-tasting peas. It is a splendid forcer.

Price **2s.** per pint, **3s. 6d.** per quart, **1s.** per packet.

Carters Forcing Pea (*Wrinkled Marrowfat, 1 foot*).—A valuable Marrowfat Pea for under-glass culture. Its stocky growth is rarely more than 1 foot in height. It commends itself not only to professional gardeners who are required to produce Peas nearly the year round, but also to amateurs having a greenhouse or vinery doing practically nothing during the winter months, and who can, with this sturdy Pea, raise supplies for their table very early in the year.

Price **1s. 6d.** per pint, **2s. 6d.** per quart.

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Exact size of our NEW GIANT LIGHTNING PEA

Exact size
of our well
known
LIGHTNING
PEA.

**CARTERS
"GIANT"
LIGHTNING
and
CARTERS
"GIANT"
BLUE
EXPRESS
PEAS.**

**New
Large-podded
Early
Round Peas.**

It is now many years since our House first introduced Carters *Lightning* (white round) and Carters *Express* (blue round), two Peas which soon became popular as the earliest of the white and blue round section.

After several years' patient labour we have had pleasure to introduce the above magnificent Peas, "*Giant*" *Lightning* and "*Giant*" *Express*. There is no doubt that these types will speedily displace the smaller podded varieties, as in addition to the increased size of pod the haulm is stronger, the cropping properties are much heavier, and the flavour is superior to the older varieties.

In large establishments where Peas are required very early, these grand *Giant* introductions will be much appreciated, as it is well known that the round Peas are hardier and generally can be sown earlier than the wrinkled marrowfat varieties.

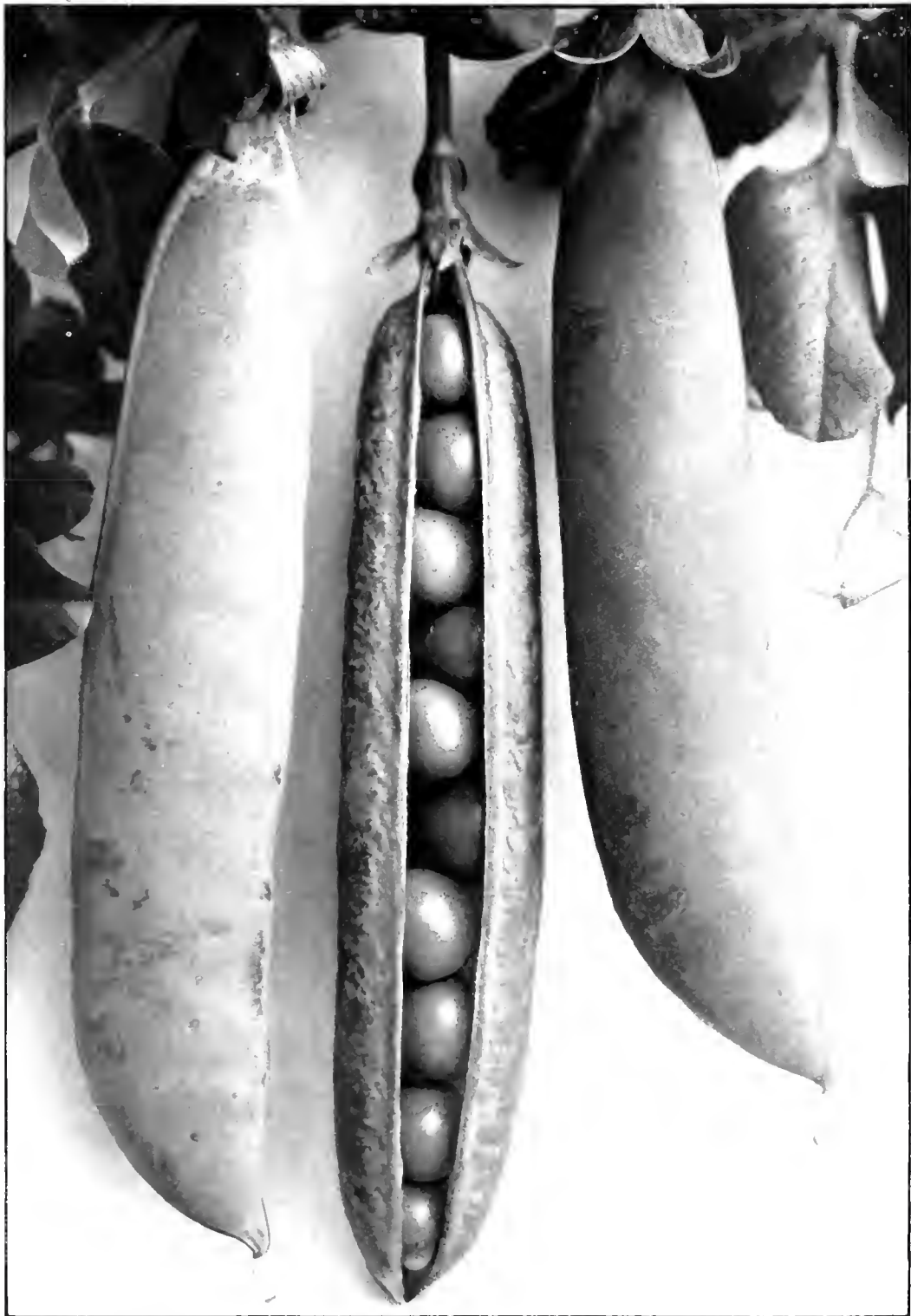
Carters "Giant" Lightning (*White Round, 3 to 4 feet*).—The new large-podded early white round Pea. Hardy. See Photograph above.

Price 2s. per pint, 3s. 6d. per quart, 1s. per packet.

Carters "Giant" Express (*Blue Round, 3 to 4 feet*).—Identical in size with "*Giant*" *Lightning*. The new large-podded early blue round Pea. Height, 3 to 4 feet.

Price 2s. per pint, 3s. 6d. per quart, 1s. per packet.

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CARTERS EARLY MORN PEA.

A superb First Early Giant Marrowfat. *For full particulars, see opposite page.*

Carters Seedsmen by Appointment to His Majesty the King—High Holborn, London.

Height 1 to 4 feet.

Carters Early Morn Pea (*Wrinkled Marrowfat*, 3 feet, see *Photograph opposite*).—This grand introduction maintains its position as one of the best early Marrowfat Peas ever raised. Although so early the seed should not be sown until the soil is in a fit state to receive it in April, as it is a rapid grower. The pods are very large and well filled, and are often ready to pick during June.

Price 2s. per pint, 3s. 6d. per quart, 1s. per packet.

Carters Blue Express (*Blue Round*, 2½ feet).—A re-selected stock of an early round-seeded variety and a very productive bearer, the pods well filled with fine flavoured Peas, of a distinct colour when boiled.

Price 1s. 9d. per pint, 3s. per quart.

Carters Daylight (*Wrinkled Marrowfat*, 2½ feet).—A fine Marrowfat, as early as *Lightning*, with exhibition pods.

Price 2s. per pint, 3s. 6d. per quart, 1s. per packet.

Carters Lightning (*Round Seeded*, 2½ feet).—A re-selected stock of the earliest white round-seeded Pea.

Price 2s. per pint, 3s. 6d. per quart, 1s. per packet.

Carters Diamond (*White Wrinkled*, 1 foot).—An extra early *White Wrinkled Gem*, as early as *William Hurst*, with larger pods, and very prolific. A grand Pea for border work.

Price 1s. 9d. per pint, 3s. per quart.

Carters Dwarf Favourite (*Wrinkled Marrowfat*, 1½ foot).—For gardens where space is an object this is the Pea to grow. It has rich deep-green pods well filled with delicious Marrowfat Peas. Very prolific.

Price 1s. 9d. per pint, 3s. per quart.

Carters Superior (*Blue Round*, 4 feet).—A highly-selected early blue-seeded Pea, with large pods. Closely follows *Blue Express*. An excellent Pea for market work.

Price 1s. 6d. per pint, 2s. 6d. per quart.

Carters Springtide (*Wrinkled Marrowfat*, 2½ to 3 feet).—A first early Marrow, as early as *Lightning*, with dark green well filled pods.

Price 1s. 6d. per pint, 2s. 6d. per quart.

Carters American Wonder.—Re-selected (*Wrinkled Marrowfat*, 18 inches).—An early dwarf Marrow. Our stock of this variety is highly selected, and is in every way far superior to the older stock, having pods nearly as large again; handsome in appearance, with peas of very fine flavour.

Price 1s. 6d. per pint, 2s. 6d. per quart.

The Pilot.—Carters re-selected (*Round Seeded*, 3 feet).—This well-known variety has been carefully selected by us, and is without question the most perfect stock on the market; it produces large, well filled, deep coloured pods, about the size of *Gradus*.

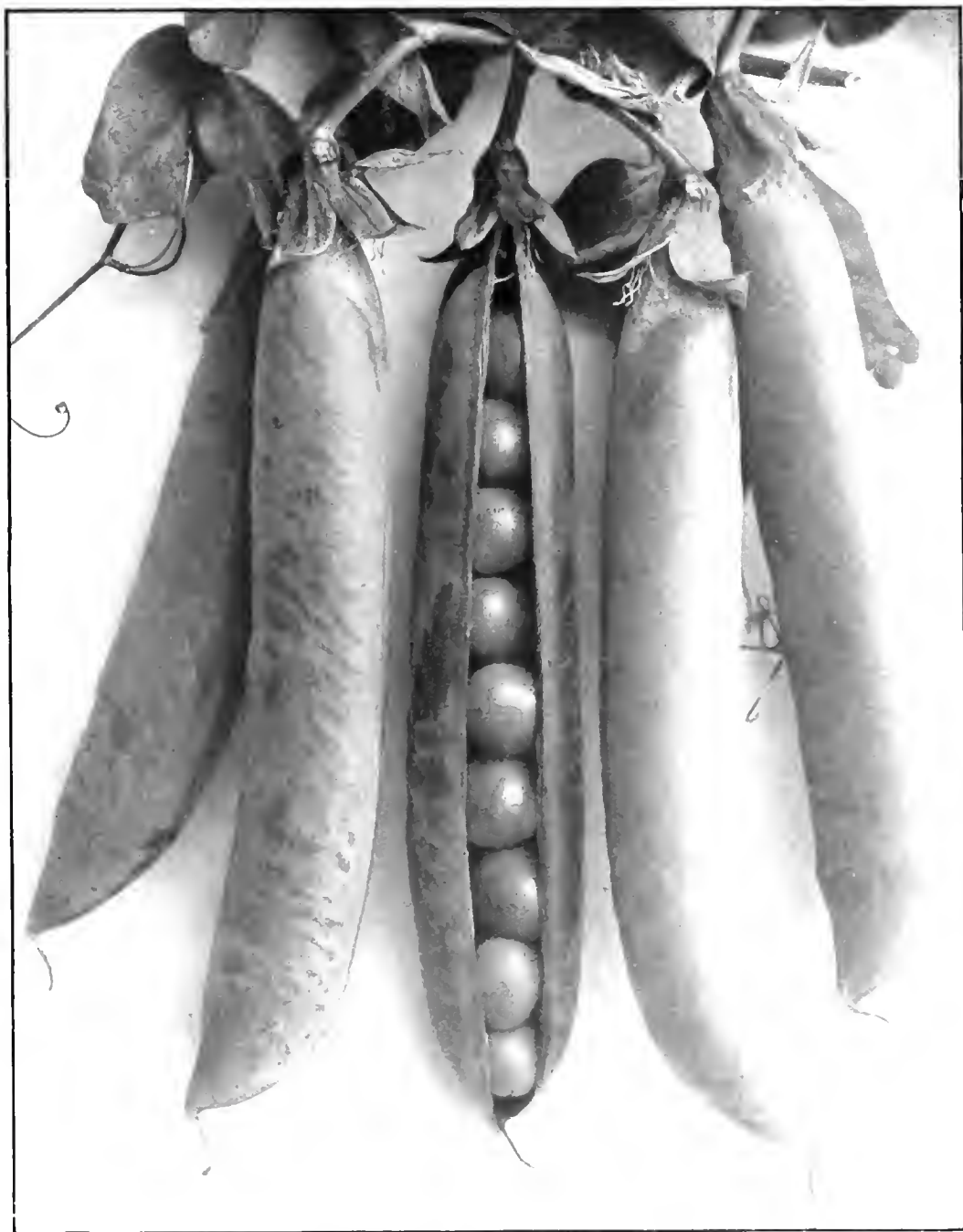
Price 2s. per pint, 3s. 6d. per quart, 1s. per packet.

Gradus (*Wrinkled Marrowfat*, 4 feet).—An early large podded Marrow Pea. Large deep green pods, good flavour.

Price 1s. 9d. per pint, 3s. per quart.

William the First.—Carters re-selected (*Round Seeded*, 4 feet).—Long handsome pods, quite hardy.

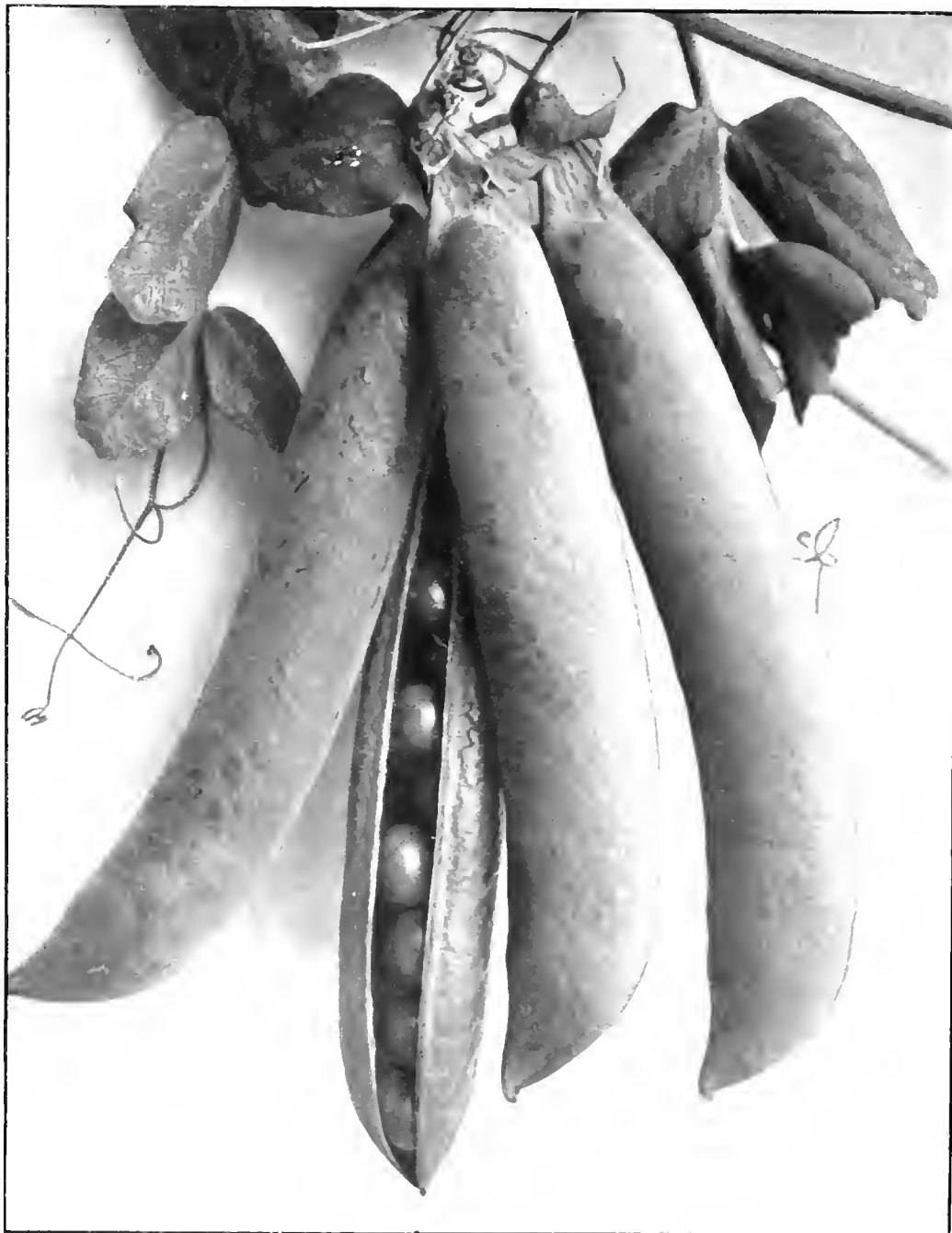
Price 2s per quart.



CARTERS MAYFLOWER (*Wrinkled Marrowfat*, 18 inches).—A superb Dwarf first early Marrowfat Pea. A cross between *Daisy* and *William Hurst*. This is a grand thing, with long pointed pods twice the size of *William Hurst* and much more freely produced; being one of the most prolific dwarf peas grown. The bine is robust, possessing the same healthy character as its most famous parent *Daisy*, with pods of similar colour to that variety. Seed wrinkled. Everyone should try this fine introduction, which is but very inadequately shown in the photograph.

Price 2s. per pint, 3s. 6d. per quart, 1s. per packet.

Carters Seedsman by Appointment to His Majesty the King—High Holborn, London.



LAXTONIAN PEA - Carters Re-selected (*Wrinkled Marrowfat*, $1\frac{1}{2}$ foot). This fine new Pea has been highly selected by us, and the stock we now offer is saved from deep green giant-podded plants only. It is very early, closely following *Eight Weeks*. Its deep green pods are long and curved, and of most excellent flavour. 1s. per packet (about 250 seeds).

NOVELTY

CARTERS COLLECTION OF GREEN PEAS June to November see page 101.

Carters Address for all Correspondence, **RAYNES PARK, LONDON, S.W.—1912.**



CARTERS LITTLE MARVEL PEA (*Wrinkled Marrowfat*, 18 inches).—This is one of the best amongst the Early Dwarf section, bearing a very heavy crop of blunt-ended dark pods, tightly filled with large Peas of excellent flavour. An improvement upon the *English Wonder* class. First early green wrinkled.

Price 2s. per pint, 3s. 6d. per quart, 1s. per packet.

FOR COLLECTIONS OF PEAS, please see pages 101 and 103.

"In noting these one may include some of the earlier varieties as well as later ones, and one of the best, if not the best, for early crops, is *Eight-weeks*, sent out by the Holborn firm; those who have grown it speak very highly of it. A pea suitable to follow this is *Little Marvel*, a wrinkled Marrow, 18 inches in height; this is so highly esteemed by gardeners that they grow successional crops through the season."—*The Gardeners' Magazine*, October 28th, 1911.

"I have strongly recommended your *Little Marvel* Pea; without a doubt it is the best as an early variety I have had from you the last 20 years I have traded with you."—G. DAKIN, Gardener to C. Wright, Esq.

Carters Seedsmen by Appointment to His Majesty the King—High Holborn, London.

EARLIEST GARDEN PEAS.—*Continued.*

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Height 1 to 4 feet.

	Per quart—s.	d.
Carters First Crop , or Ringleader (<i>White Round</i> , 2½ feet).—An old and popular Pea, quite hardy; a favourite for early market work 1 6		
Carters Extra Early Premium Gem (<i>Wrinkled Marrowfat</i> , 18 inches).—A great improvement on <i>Little Gem</i> 2 0		
Carters First Early (<i>White Round</i> , 2½ feet).—A quick growing Pea 1 8		
Carters Early Dwarf Marrow (<i>Wrinkled</i> , 2 feet).—A fine flavoured early Pea 1 8		
Abundance (<i>Wrinkled Marrowfat</i> , 2 feet).—A prolific Marrowfat variety, small pods 1 6		
American Wonder (<i>Wrinkled</i> , 1 foot).—Original stock. Very early prolific Pea 2 3		
Blue Express (<i>Blue Round</i> , 2½ feet).—Ordinary stock, first early blue, hardy 1 9		
Chelsea Gem (<i>Wrinkled Marrowfat</i> , 15 inches).—A dwarf early Marrow, prolific, good for borders 3 0		
Earliest of All (<i>Blue Round</i> , 3 feet).—A very early blue round, small podded, prolific 1 6		
Eclipse (<i>Blue Round</i> , 3 feet).—An early blue Pea, hardy 1 6		
English Wonder (<i>Wrinkled</i> , 1 foot).—A popular early Marrow, very prolific, deep green, pods compact 2 3		
Exonian (<i>Wrinkled</i> , 2½ feet).—Very early, deep green pods, for sheltered gardens 2 3		
First and Best (<i>White Round</i> , 2½ feet).—Very prolific, first early round white 1 6		
Lightning (<i>White Round</i> , 2½ feet).—Ordinary stock, first early white, introduced by our House many years ago 2 0		
May Queen (<i>Wrinkled</i> , 3 feet).—An early Marrow, long pointed pale pods 2 6		
William Hurst (<i>Wrinkled</i> , 1 foot).—A useful dwarf for early work 2 3		
William the First (<i>Round Seeded</i> , 4 feet).—Ordinary variety, long curved dark pods 1 6		
Bountiful (<i>Round Seeded</i> , 4 feet).—Both hardy and prolific 2 3		
British Wonder (<i>Wrinkled Marrowfat</i> , 18 inches).—Of sturdy growth, broad blunt pods, deep green, prolific 2 6		
Early Giant (<i>Wrinkled Marrowfat</i> , 3 feet).—A large podded first early, rich green pods 3 6		
King Edward VII. Dwarf (<i>Wrinkled Marrowfat</i> , 18 inches).—A broad podded and prolific Pea 2 6		
Pioneer (<i>Wrinkled Marrowfat</i> , 4 feet).—Large show pods, deep green 3 0		
The Sherwood (<i>Wrinkled Marrowfat</i> , 18 inches).—Broad podded and superior <i>English Wonder</i> type 2 6		

NOTICE.—For our Collection Green Peas—June to November—see page 101.



CARTERS SNOWDROP PEA.

See next page for description and reports.

Carters Seedsmen by Appointment to His Majesty the King—High Holborn, London.

EARLIEST GARDEN PEAS—*Continued.*

Height, 15 inches to 4 feet.

NOVELTY.

Carters Snowdrop (*Wrinkled Marrowfat*, 4 feet). Award of Merit R.H.S.

A cross between *Early Morn* and *Express* (Seedling No. 208).—This first early Pea can best be described as an early *Ne Plus Ultra*, having pods similar in shape and colour to that variety; it is a few days later than our *Early Morn*, growing rather taller, but possessing the robust constitution of its other parent (*Express*); for early sowing we can strongly recommend.

Price 1s. per packet (about 250 seeds). Stock limited.

The Right Hon. Earl of Mansfield's Head Gardener says:—"Carters *Snowdrop* Pea. A most excellent early pea, height about 4 feet, strong grower, very free bearer, pods medium size, well filled with good peas of excellent quality; can strongly recommend it."—MR. W. WARD.

The Right Hon. The Earl of Kimberley's Head Gardener says:—"A good early heavy cropper, as early as *Early Morn*, pods well filled, robust constitution."—MR. W. N. THURSTON, Witton Park, North Walsham, Norfolk.

The Right Hon. Viscount Midleton's Head Gardener says:—"Snowdrop Pea. Height 4 feet. This is a very strong, robust variety for early work; the pods are rather blunt, but are very closely packed, and is a good succession to *Early Morn*. The flavour is quite distinct, and is excellent quality for the general use of a large garden."—MR. QUAINTON, The Gardens, Peper Harrow Park, Godalming.

The Right Hon. W. H. Long's Head Gardener says:—"Pea Carters *Snowdrop* is a promising new first early, producing freely large *Ne Plus Ultra* like pods, which are filled with large seed of superior colour and flavour. It grows with us about 4 feet in height."—MR. W. STRUGNELL, Rood Ashton, Trowbridge.

The Hon. Vicary Gibbs' Head Gardener says:—"Snowdrop, one of the best, good shape pods, splendid variety for small gardens."—MR. EDWIN BECKETT, Aldenham House, Elstree, Herts.

Admiral Brand's Head Gardener says:—"Snowdrop, a very fine early pea with abundance of fine dark square pods, containing 9 peas in most pods; this, I consider, fills a want in giving the true marrow flavour of the old *Magnum Bonum*. It has a splendid constitution, and will certainly rank as one of the best early peas."—MR. W. BACK, Glynde Place, Lewes, Sussex.

Carters Edward VII. (*Wrinkled Marrowfat*, 3 feet). In the trials of the Royal Horticultural Society we were granted an Award of Merit for this superb early Marrow Pea. It is a first-class representative of the forward section of Marrowfats, but has *Ne Plus Ultra* shaped pods of a beautiful lustrous green, filled with fine, large, sweet-eating peas.

Price 1s. 6d. per pint, 2s. 6d. per quart.

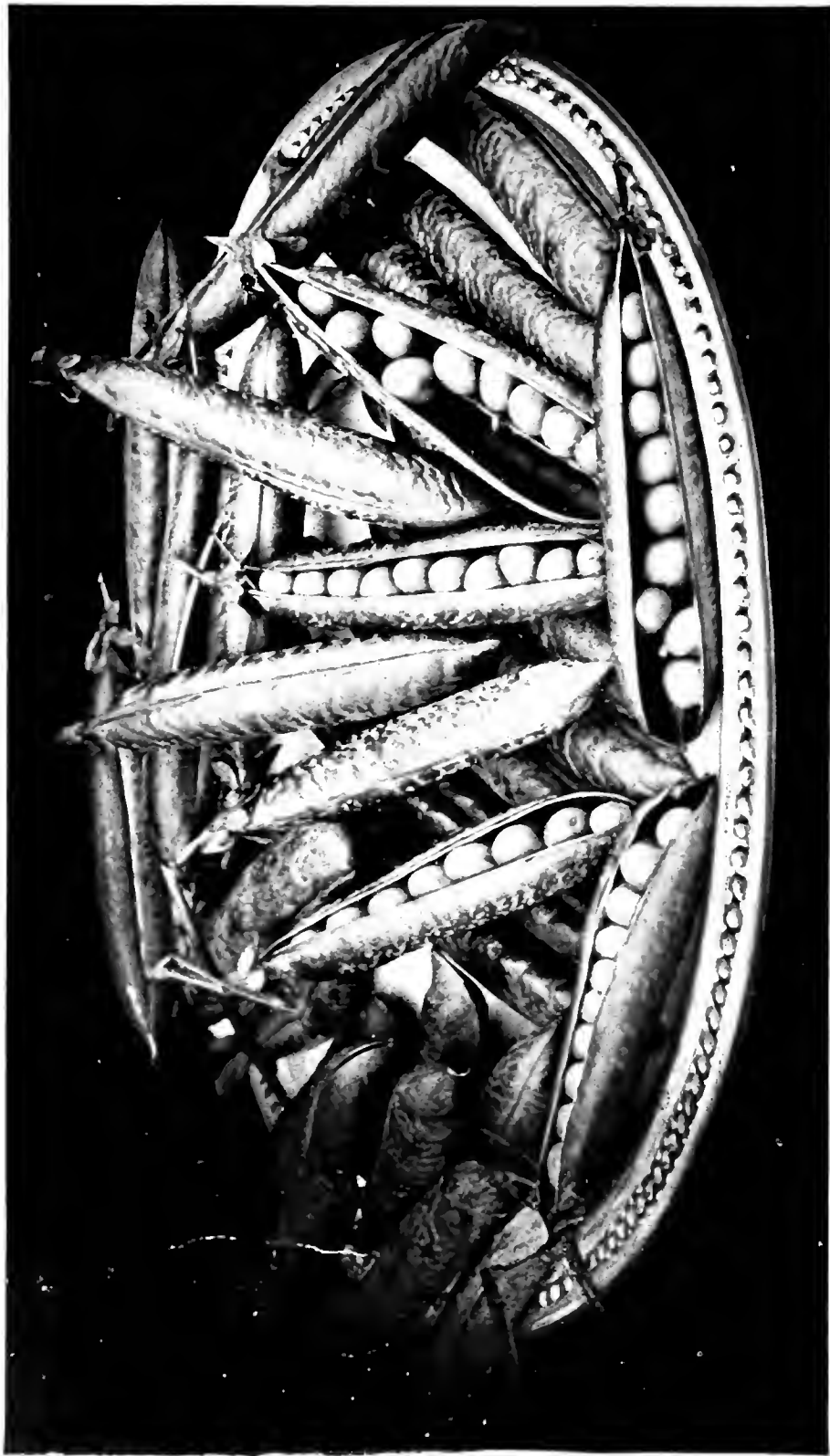


Carters King of the Earlies (*Wrinkled Marrowfat*, 18 inches). This early Pea is a cross between our well-known *Daisy* and another first early sweet Marrowfat, and was raised at the Royal Gardens, Windsor. It produces a robust haulm from 15 to 18 inches in length, covered with giant pods.

Price 1s. 9d. per pint, 3s. per quart.

Collections of Peas, please see pages 101 and 103.

Carters Address for all Correspondence, RAYNES PARK, LONDON, S.W.—1912.



A STERLING FIRST EARLY.

Carters Daffodil (*Wrinkled Marrowfat*, 18 inches). A dwarf and very prolific Marrowfat Pea with the highest possible commendations, being of the rich deep colour of the *Statagem* type, and a decided improvement upon *British Wonder* and the new types of *English Wonder*. It is a first early of bushy habit, and about 18 inches, obviating the necessity for sticks, and rendering it serviceable for borders. Its pods are larger than most of the well-known Peas of the early dwarf class, while the quality and flavour of the Pea is delicious.

Price 2s. per pint, 3s. 6d. per quart, 1s. per packet.

Carters
Address for all
Correspondence, RAINES PARK, LONDON, S.W.—1912.

CARTERS "QUITE CONTENT" MARROWFAT PEA.

A GIANT-PODDED MAIN CROP.

Please see illustration on next pages.

Awarded the FIRST CLASS CERTIFICATE of the ROYAL HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY, 1906.

Pods longer and larger than any other Pea in cultivation.

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During the past few seasons this grand Exhibition Pea has taken 308 First Prizes at all the important shows throughout the country.

His Grace The Duke of Portland's Head Gardener says:—"I have tried Carters *Quite Content* Pea, which is without doubt the largest podded Pea I know of."—Mr. JAMES GIBSON, The Gardens, Welbeck.

His Grace The Duke of Buccleuch's Head Gardener says:—" *Quite Content* is all you claim for it, and was the most popular Exhibition Pea this last season."—Mr. WHYTOCK, The Gardens, Dalkeith Palace.

The Right Hon. The Earl of Onslow's Head Gardener says:—"The Pea *Quite Content* is excellent in every way."—Mr. H. W. BLAKE, The Gardens, Clandon Park, Guildford.

The Right Hon. The Earl of Lathom's Head Gardener says:—"Carters *Quite Content* Pea is truly a magnificent Pea for exhibition and of excellent table quality."—Mr. B. ASHTON, The Gardens, Lathom House.

The Right Hon. The Earl of Lytton's Head Gardener says:—"In all ways a splendid pea, very large pods, well filled, excellent flavour, quite indispensable for all exhibitors."—Mr. A. E. CRESSWELL, Knelworth House, Knelworth, Herts.

The Right Hon. Viscount Portman's Head Gardener says:—"A tall-growing variety. Pods large and straight, containing from 10 to 12 seeds in each."—Mr. H. C. PRINSEP, The Gardens, Buxted Park.

The Right Hon. Viscount Midleton's Head Gardener says:—" *Quite Content* Pea. I have never seen this fine exhibition Pea do better than it has done this year. It has been my heaviest cropper, pods of enormous size, many containing 11 Peas, chiefly in pairs. It is a Pea that requires plenty of room as its growth is so strong, and if planted on trenched ground will pay for the extra amount of labour by the crop it will produce."—Mr. QUAINTON, The Gardens, Peper Harrow Park, Godalming.

The Right Hon. W. H. Long's Head Gardener says:—"The exhibitor can ill afford to be without this pea among peas (*Quite Content*). We have seen some enviously fine dishes exhibited on many occasions this year."—Mr. W. STRUGNELL, Rood Ashton, Trowbridge.

Sir Edmund Loder's Head Gardener says:—" *Quite Content* has been better than ever, wonderfully large pods causing every person who sees it to exclaim 'What a marvellous pea!' I have seen it at several first-class shows, and it has always been to the front."—Mr. W. A. COOK, The Gardens, Leonardslee.

Price 3s. 6d. per pint, 2s. per $\frac{1}{2}$ -pint, 1s. per packet.

"I won First Prize at Tavistock with 50 of your *Quite Content* Pea."—COLONEL H. F. COLERIDGE.

"I am pleased to say that I have taken First Prize at Great Yeldham with your *Quite Content* Pea."—Mr. R. J. LUCKING, Gardener to J. P. Benson, Esq.

"I took First Prize the last two years at the Keymer Flower Show with your *Quite Content* Pea."—

Mr. WALTER ANTHONY.

"I must tell you I took First Prize with your *Quite Content* Pea against strong competition at our Show."—Mr. G. VINES.

"Having given Carters' *Quite Content* Pea a trial this season, I would like to state that I found it very satisfactory; it is a strong grower, and produces pods of very large size in pairs, each pod containing 9 to 11 fine peas of excellent flavour, and it is a capital cropper."—Mr. J. DYMOCK, Gardener to G. D. Faber, Esq.

"Have been a showman for the last 18 years, but never before have I had such a dish of Peas on the show table. I had pods $7\frac{1}{2}$ inches long containing 11 peas in each pod."—

Mr. J. W. SURRIDGE.

For further particulars of this fine Marrowfat Pea, please see pages 86 and 87.

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Carters "QUITE CONTENT"

MAINCROP MARROWFAT PEA

1st Class Certificate R.H.S.



JAMES CARTER & Co

Raynes Park, LONDON. S.W.

Carters Quite Content (*Maincrop Marrowfat. Height, 5 to 6 feet*).—This grand Pea, which has caused such a stir in the Horticultural world, is the outcome of a cross between *Alderman* and *Edwin Beckett*. In general character it resembles the former, but the pods are considerably larger than either parent. In our own trials it has amply demonstrated its wonderful superiority, and when exhibited in the open class at Shrewsbury, 1906, it easily secured the **FIRST PRIZE**, and was pronounced by leading experts to be without doubt the finest Pea ever seen. It is exceedingly prolific, and the pods hang mostly in pairs.

Price 3s. 6d. per pint, 2s.

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THE LARGEST & FINEST PODDED PEA
IN CULTIVATION.

*A Prize Winner all over
the World.*



We would respectfully draw our customers' attention to the following: "The true and original Pea *Quite Content*, as sent out by Messrs. James Carter and Co., is a maincrop variety, height 6 feet, foliage and pod deep green, pod 7 inches to 7½ inches long, hanging mostly in pairs, and is quite distinct from all other Peas. We are requested to make this statement, as we are given to understand that a Pea, which has not all the claims of Carters *Quite Content*, has been widely distributed this season by others, either by accident or design, thereby causing much correspondence and annoyance to the growers and Messrs. Carter alike. Messrs. Carters *Quite Content* was distributed this season in their sealed packets, and has each year been carefully re-selected." *The Garden*, September, 1908.

per half-pint, 1s. per packet.

Pea, please refer to page 85.



CARTERS DAISY PEA.

For full particulars, see opposite page.

The most famous Second Early Marrowfat in Cultivation.

Carters Seedsman by Appointment to His Majesty the King—High Holborn, London.

SECOND EARLY GARDEN PEAS,

.Height, 1½ to 5 feet.

CARTERS DAISY (*Wrinkled, 15 inches, see Photograph on opposite page*).—**First Class Certificate, Royal Horticultural Society.**—This grand dwarf Marrowfat Pea has been before the public for some years, and still stands at the head, as confirmed by the great independent trial of Peas conducted by the Royal Horticultural Society of England in 1902. Their experiment comprised over 80 varieties, and CARTERS DAISY gained the First Class Certificate given by the Society. CARTERS DAISY PEA is an early maincrop, growing about 15 inches high. The haulm is very robust and the crop of giant, well-filled pods of good colour is enormous.

Price 2s. per pint, 3s. 6d. per quart, 1s. per packet.

Mr. J. MAYNE, of Bicton Gardens, Devonshire, in the *Gardeners' Chronicle* writes:—"CARTERS DAISY PEA.—So many satisfactory accounts have been given in these pages of this variety of Pea that it may seem superfluous again to write its praise, but having grown it for several seasons I can confidently recommend it as one of the best second early dwarf varieties at the present time. It is of robust growth, reaching nearly 3 feet in height last year, but in ordinary summers the plants do not get much above 2 feet, and are literally crowded with fine pods nearly 6 inches long, each containing from 8 to 10 fine Peas of excellent flavour. I have been much impressed by the length of time the pods will hang without getting dry, having saved the crop for seed. The pods are usually borne in pairs, and the raisers are certainly to be congratulated upon giving us such a good Pea. I advise those who have not yet grown this Pea to procure a quart of seeds from the raisers and sow as soon as the state of the soil will allow, and I will vouch for it they will not be disappointed."

NOVELTY.

Carters Evergreen (*Delicatesse*) (*Wrinkled, 2½ feet*). Award of Merit, R.H.S., 1908.—A larger and deep green podded selection of our well-known *Petit Pois* (*Delicatesse*) which we introduce to our customers' notice as being selected for its regular and heavy cropping properties.

Price 2s. 6d. per pint.

NEW

Giant Delicatesse (*Wrinkled 3 to 4 feet*).—Remarkably prolific and hardy; possesses same prolific habit as our *Delicatesse*, hence its title, but pods are twice the size. It is as its name suggests a giant *Delicatesse*.

Price 2s. 6d. per pint.

								Per quart—s.	d.
Carters Little Wonder	(<i>Wrinkled, 2 feet</i>).—Good cropper and fine flavour	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	0
Charles I.	(<i>Wrinkled, 3 feet</i>).—Very prolific, long curved pods, good flavour	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	6
Duke of York	(<i>Wrinkled, 4 feet</i>).—Good useful variety, few days earlier than <i>Duke of Albany</i>	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	6
Favourite Marrowfat	(<i>Wrinkled, 2 feet</i>).—Improved type of <i>Yorkshire Hero</i>	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	0
Herald	(<i>Wrinkled, 18 inches</i>).—Long curved pods	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	6
Sunrise	(<i>Round White, 2 feet</i>).—Hardy and prolific	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	9
Dickson's Favourite	(<i>Round White, 5 feet</i>).—Long thin curved pods	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	6
Essex Star	(<i>Wrinkled, 5 feet</i>).—Large pods, and a strong grower	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	6
Fillbasket	(<i>Round, 3 feet</i>).—A well-known productive Pea	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	9
Harrison's Glory	(<i>Round Blue, 3 feet</i>).—Hardy and strong growing	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	6
Heroine	(<i>Wrinkled, 2½ feet</i>).—Very rich green pods	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	6
Prince of Wales	(<i>Wrinkled, 3 feet</i>).—Good cropper, suits most soils	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	9
Senator	(<i>Wrinkled, 3 to 4 feet</i>).—Prolific, rather pale pods, hardy	...	...	...	...	...	...	2	6

FRENCH PEAS.

Carters Petit Pois (*Delicatesse*).—This Pea has gained a great renown among the continental connoisseurs, who regard it as a delicacy. It is a second early wrinkled, with haulm about 3 feet; very prolific; long curved pods hanging in pairs.

Price 1s. 3d. per pint, 2s. per quart.

Carters Giant Edible Podded.—Our friends on the Continent have assiduously developed the Edible Podded Pea section, and have thus obtained a delicious vegetable not sufficiently well known in this country. The variety we now offer grows about 5 feet high, with very broad fleshy pods.

Price 1s. 9d. per pint, 3s. per quart.

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CARTERS INTERNATIONAL PEA.

For description, see opposite page.

NOVELTY.

Carters International (*Wrinkled Marrowfat*, 5 to 6 feet, see Photograph on opposite page). Award of Merit R.H.S., 1908.—This magnificent Pea is the result of a cross between our well-known *Early Morn* and *Duke of Albany*. It is quite distinct both in shape of pod and habit; the pods are of a rich deep green, containing 11 Peas of excellent size and flavour; this is undoubtedly the largest curved podded Marrowfat Pea at present offered to the public, and we are anticipating a large demand. Second early.

Pods of this variety (under Seedling No. 211) were exhibited at the Royal Agricultural Society's Show at Newcastle, and at the Royal Horticultural Society's Show at Holland House, and attracted much favourable attention.

Price 2s. 6d. per pint. Stock limited.

We give a few reports on Carters *International* Pea (Seedling No. 211):—

His Grace The Duke of Buccleuch's Head Gardener says:—"International Pea is a good exhibition Pea, pods 6 inches long, containing 10 Peas, equal sized, good colour, fine flavour. This Pea has cropped better than some other good Peas this adverse season."—Mr. JAMES WHYFOCK, Dalkeith, N.B.

The Right Hon. The Earl of Sandwich's Head Gardener says:—"I consider the *International* Pea a grand second early, very heavy cropper; pods large, averaging nine and ten Peas in a pod of first-class quality."—Mr. HANSFORD, The Gardens, Hooke Court, Beamster.

The Right Hon. The Earl of Kimberley's Head Gardener says:—"International Pea. Very good quality, growing 5 feet high; the pods a dark green and well filled; heavy cropper. A Pea worth growing."—Mr. W. N. THURSTON, Witton Park, North Walsham, Norfolk.

The Right Hon. The Earl of Mansfield's Head Gardener says:—"Carters *International*. This is a first-class Pea for second early, of fine strong haulm, very free cropper, large pods of fine large Peas, about nine to the pod; excellent in quality, is well worth a place in any garden; tall grower."—Mr. W. WARD.

The Right Hon. The Earl of Abingdon's Head Gardener says:—"International Pea is one of the best Peas I know of; good cropper and splendid quality, running *Quite Content* very close."—Mr. W. BROWN, Wytham Abbey, Oxford.

The Right Hon. The Earl of Galloway's Head Gardener says:—"International Pea. A very promising variety, which arrives at maturity early, has large well-filled pods; quality all that can be desired."—Mr. JAMES DAY, The Gardens, Garliestown, Wigtownshire.

The Right Hon. Viscount Midleton's Head Gardener says:—"International Pea. Height, 6 feet. This variety has done remarkably well with me this season, having extra strong growth, the pods being very dark green, long and curved, chiefly in pairs, average 10, of excellent flavour. This is a very heavy cropper for a second early, and for exhibition purposes cannot be excelled, coming next to *Quite Content* in my estimation. Can speak very highly of it as one of the best in cultivation."—Mr. QUAINTON, The Gardens, Peper Harrow Park, Godalming.

The Right Hon. Viscount Portman's Head Gardener says:—"This is an excellent second early variety growing about 6 feet high; the haulm is robust, and plant a good constitution; foliage large, light green mottled; pods large, after the *Duke of Albany* type, but earlier. A tall Pea of first-rate quality."—Mr. PRINSEP, The Gardens, Buxted Park, Uckfield.

Sir Edmund Loder's Head Gardener says:—"This Pea has done extraordinarily well this season. It is quite distinct, and has gained a good name hereabouts. I have given a few seeds to small growers, who were charmed with it. It had 10 and 11 Peas in a pod, of a beautiful green, had a true Marrowfat flavour; bears in pairs, and most prolific. It has certainly come to stay."—Mr. W. A. COOK, The Gardens, Leonardslee, Horsham.

Admiral Brand's Head Gardener says:—"International, surely the last word as far as size and quality are concerned, free cropping, hanging mostly in pairs, with fine dark-marbled foliage, withstanding mildew well. Height, 5 feet. This is a Pea that must push its way to front rank; indispensable to exhibitors, many of the pods over 6 inches in length."—Mr. W. BACK, Glyde Place, Lewes, Sussex.

"A fine bearer and a strong grower; the flavour of the Peas should attract particular notice as the best of that class."—Mr. JAMES LAWSON, The Gardens, Horticultural College, Swanley.

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CARTERS BUTTERCUP PEA

(*Round Blue*, $1\frac{1}{2}$ to 2 feet.)

A hardy type of *Daisy* Pea; may be described as an early Maincrop; fine robust habit, long well-filled pods, produced in pairs, averaging 10 Peas in each; remarkably free bearing. The large deep green seed, which is almost round, retains the sweet marrowfat flavour when cooked.

Price 2s. per pint;

3s. 6d. per quart;

1s. per packet.

Hints on Cultivation.—Early round Peas may be sown out of doors any time from November onwards, but the spring is generally the season when the largest quantities of both early and Main Crop Marrow Peas are put in, extending to June for the latest crops. They thrive best in ground that has been deeply trenched and manured for a previous crop; the seeds should be planted from $1\frac{1}{2}$ to 3 inches deep, in either single or double rows, and the taller varieties must be staked when they are from 4 to 6 inches high; the tallest kinds should not be less than 6 feet apart in rows, and the dwarf varieties half this distance. Peas will stand a good deal of drought if the roots find their way into some nice rich material.

Carters Seedsman by Appointment to His Majesty the King—High Holborn, London.



REDUCED IN SIZE.

CARTERS COMMONWEALTH (*Wrinkled Marrowfat, 2 feet*).

We have a most perfect reselected stock of this popular Mamcrop Pea. It is a strong grower and a prolific bearer of large exhibition pods of a fine deep colour, besides being a first-class table Pea. Strongly recommended.

Price 2s. per pint, 3s. 6d. per quart, 1s. per packet.

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Correspondence, KAYNES PARK, LONDON, S.W.—1912.



CARTERS HARVESTMAN PEA.
A Superior Maincrop.
For description, see opposite page.

NOVELTY.

Carters Harvestman (*Wrinkled Marrowfat*, 5 feet). Award of Merit, R.H.S., 1908—This grand Pea, which is a cross between *Express* and *Duke of Albany* (Seedling No. 214), possesses all the qualities of *Duke of Albany*, but the pod is distinct in shape, more regular in growth, not quite so tall, and altogether superior. Its appearance and cropping qualities are far ahead of either *Duke of Albany* and *Duchess*, or any of a similar class, and we are confident that there is a great future before it. For market or garden it is a most profitable Pea. Main crop.

Price **2s. 6d.** per pint. Stock limited.

His Grace The Duke of Buccleuch's Head Gardener says:—"Harvestman. Good main crop Pea, splendid cropper, with large well-filled pods of good colour, and fine flavoured Peas. Height, 5 feet."—Mr. JAMES WHYTECK, The Gardens, Dalkeith, N.B.

The Right Hon. The Earl of Mansfield's Head Gardener says:—"Carters *Harvestman* Pea. This Pea I have found to be an excellent one. Both as a free cropper and for quality, I think it difficult to beat. Pods are of good size and well filled with large Peas. Height, about 5 feet; strong grower."—Mr. W. WARD.

The Right Hon. The Earl of Abingdon's Head Gardener says:—"Harvestman is a real good cropper and fills out well. Anyone requiring a Pea for crop and quality combined, this is the one to grow."—Mr. W. BROWN, The Gardens, Wytham Abbey, Oxford.

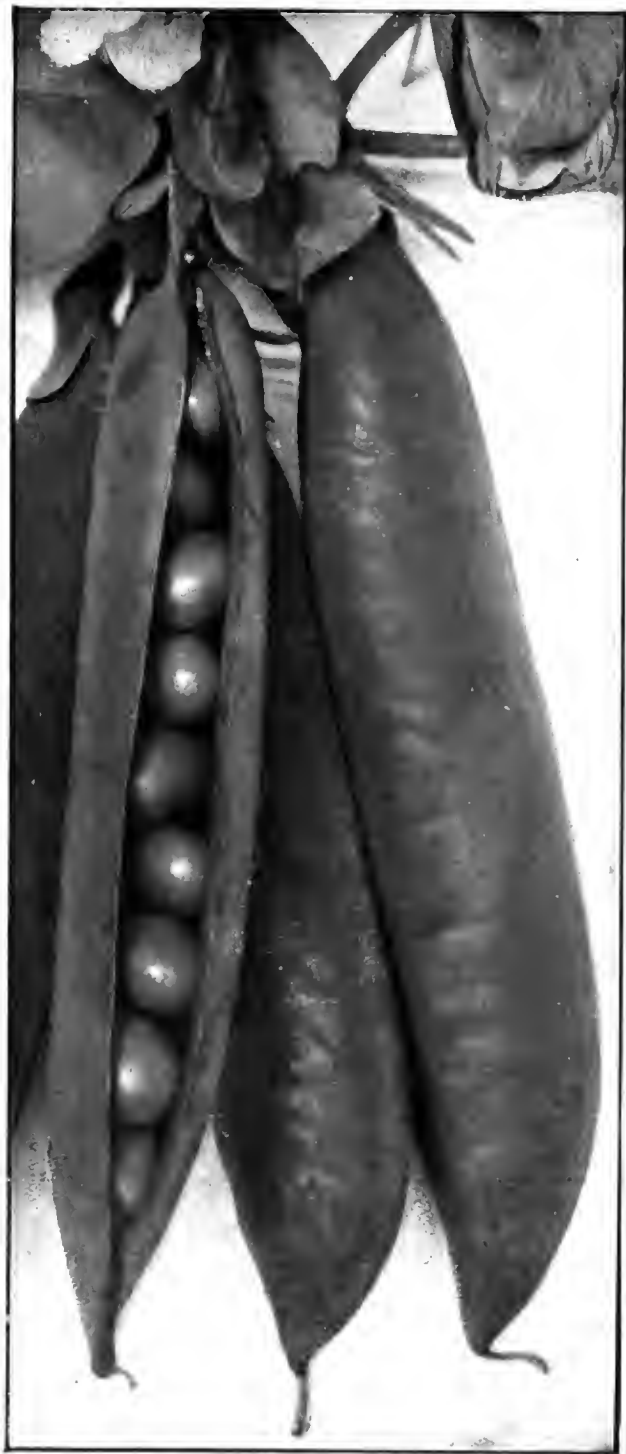
The Right Hon. The Earl of Sandwich's Head Gardener says:—"Pea *Harvestman*. A fine bearer and strong grower, with excellent flavour, a good all-round Pea."—Mr. F. HANSFORD, The Gardens, Hooke Court, Beaminster, Dorset.

The Right Hon. Viscount Midleton's Head Gardener says:—"Harvestman Pea. Height, 5 feet. This season the haulm has been strong, and for a main crop is superior to the *Duke of Albany* both in productiveness and succession of bearing. The pods are generally in pairs, and average nine, which are of delicious flavour. This is a very fine main crop variety, and I can speak highly of it."—Mr. QUAINTON, The Gardens, Peper Harrow Park, Godalming.

Sir Edmund Loder's Head Gardener says:—"This is a variety of much merit and of compact growth, superior to either of its parents; bears profusely, and the pods are packed with fine large Peas of delicious flavour."—Mr. W. A. COOK, The Gardens, Leonardslee, Horsham.

Admiral Brand's Head Gardener says:—"Harvestman. A fine maincrop Pea of the *Duke of Albany* type, but a great advance in the length of time it stands up, giving a good succession of pods. Height, 4½ feet. This should surely find its way where crop and quality are the main points. The pods are larger than the *Duke*, not quite so curved, hanging in pairs, from 18 inches to the top of haulm; constitution excellent."—Mr. W. BACK, The Gardens, Glynde Place, Lewes, Sussex.

We were awarded the Silver-Gilt Knightian Medal for a Large Collection (150 varieties) of Culinary Peas exhibited at Royal Horticultural Society's Hall, Vincent Square. Extract from the *Gardeners' Chronicle*, of July 24th, 1909:—"Messrs. James Carter & Co., High Holborn, had a very representative collection of edible Peas in dishes, there being some 150 kinds. They were all sown on the same date in the open. The earliest were getting ripe whilst very late ones, such as *Rearguard*, required yet some three weeks to fill the pods. Fine samples of *Quite Content*, *Harvestman*, *Duke of Albany*, *International*, *Superlative*, *Leviathan*, *Stratagem*, *Early Morn Centenary*, *Telegraph*, *Daffodil*, and others were plentiful. There were many seedlings in the exhibit."



Carters Exhibition (*Wrinkled*

Marrowfat, 5 *feet*). Main crop. Seed large, green, and wrinkled. A magnificent Pea, the result of a selection from Carters *Model Telephone*, the selection having been made for the purpose of obtaining an Exhibition Pea possessing all the good points of that celebrated variety, but bearing even a larger and richer coloured pod.

We claim that in every respect we have been successful, this superb variety bearing immense rich deep-green pods, perfect in shape, and well filled with large green Peas of excellent flavour, being unequalled for Exhibition purposes, as also for general garden work.

Price—

2s. per pint, 3s. 6d. per quart,

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**Thirty-eight first prizes reported
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MAINCROP GARDEN PEAS.

Height, $1\frac{1}{2}$ to 5 feet.

Carters Dwarf Monarch (*Wrinkled Marrowfat*, 2 feet).—A deep green wrinkled Marrow, with a square ended pod of the *Autocrat* type, but earlier; producing pods in pairs which contain eight and nine peas of a splendid deep green colour, and of finest flavour; wonderfully prolific.

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Carters G. F. Wilson (*Wrinkled Marrowfat*, 3 feet).—An old and popular late Marrow, with a robust and healthy growth. Standing all sorts of weather changes better than some others.

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Carters Re-selected Duke of Albany (*Wrinkled Marrowfat*, 5 feet).—A great advance on the original stock the pods being straighter and longer, and should be grown by all who know the original variety. THE ROYAL HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY, reporting its trials at Wisley, says:—"Carters *Duke of Albany* Re-selected. *Duke of Albany* received an A.M., July 5th, 1901. This is a fine true stock of this now well-known excellent variety."

Price 1s. 9d. per pint, 3s. per quart.

Carters Pride of the Market (*Height*, $1\frac{1}{2}$ to 2 feet).—A fine maincrop blue Marrowfat Pea, belonging to the same family from which our *Stratagem* was selected. Being a strong grower it requires to be thinly sown.

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Carters Majestic (*Wrinkled Marrowfat*, 2 to $2\frac{1}{2}$ feet).—A splendid mid-season Marrowfat Pea; this highly selected strain possesses splendid cropping properties and is valuable alike for the table and exhibition.

Price 2s. per pint, 3s. 6d. per quart, 1s. per packet.

Carters Model Telephone (*Wrinkled Marrowfat*, 5 feet).—A re-selection for robustness and delicacy of flavour from *Telephone*, a maincrop wrinkled Marrow, which bears to-day a world-wide reputation. It is remarkably prolific, bearing large pods of very attractive appearance; for soils of a light nature we strongly recommend this variety. Peas wrinkled, 9 to 11 in a pod, delicious when cooked.

Price 2s. per pint, 3s. 6d. per quart, 1s. per packet.

Carters Model Telegraph (*Round Seeded*, 5 feet).—A selection from our original *Telegraph*, which is well known. Very valuable as a table Pea, on account of the size and fine dark colour of the pods. The seed is round and of a deep green colour, which is retained when cooked.

Price 1s. 6d. per pint, 2s. 6d. per quart.

Carters Wonder of the World (*Wrinkled Marrowfat*, 3 feet).—A good useful Pea, always gives satisfaction.

Price 2s. 6d. per quart.

Alderman (*Wrinkled Marrowfat*, 5 feet).—Very fine Pea of splendid quality; large deep green pods.

Price 2s. 9d. per quart.

Best of All (*Wrinkled Marrowfat*, 3 feet).—Splendid cropper. Price 2s. 6d. per quart.

Centenary (*Wrinkled Marrowfat*, 5 feet).—A large-podded Marrowfat. Price 3s. 6d. per quart.

Doctor McLean (*Wrinkled Marrowfat*, 3 feet).—Re-selected, a fine Marrow Pea. Price 2s. 6d. per quart.

Doctor McLean (*Wrinkled*, 4 feet).—Original stock. Price 1s. 6d. per quart.

Duke of Albany (*Wrinkled Marrowfat*, 5 feet).—Original stock. Price 2s. 3d. per quart.

Dwarf Defiance (*Wrinkled Marrowfat*, $2\frac{1}{2}$ feet).—Closely resembles *Stratagem*. Price 2s. 6d. per quart.

Hundredfold (*Round Green*, 5 feet).—Hardy, deep green pods. Price 1s. 6d. per quart.

Peerless (*Wrinkled Marrowfat* 3 feet).—Large long pointed pods, deep colour. Price 2s. 6d. per quart.

Perfection Marrow (*Wrinkled Marrowfat*, $3\frac{1}{2}$ feet).—A taller and more branching type of *Stratagem*. Price 2s. 6d. per quart.

Satisfaction (*Wrinkled Marrowfat*, 3 feet).—A long-podded type of *Veitch's Perfection*. Price 2s. per quart.

Telegraph (*Round Seeded*, 5 feet).—Original stock. A fine strong growing variety, quite hardy, well known for market work. Price 1s. 9d. per quart.

Telephone (*Wrinkled*, 5 feet).—Large pods, prolific; suitable for light soils. Price 2s. per quart.

Veitch's Perfection (*Wrinkled*, 3 feet).—A fine stock of this well-known Pea. Price 2s. per quart.

Yorkshire Hero (*Wrinkled*, 3 feet).—Small pods but prolific bearer. Price 2s. per quart.

Triumph (*Wrinkled*, 2 to $2\frac{1}{2}$ feet).—Pods of medium size. Price 2s. per quart.

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LATER MAINCROP GARDEN PEAS.

Height $2\frac{1}{2}$ to 6 feet.

Carters Anticipation (*Wrinkled Marrowfat*, $2\frac{1}{2}$ feet).—*Anticipation* grows to a height of about $2\frac{1}{2}$ feet, and sown at the usual season it comes into bearing early in July. The foliage is of a medium shade of colour, the habit robust, with immense straight pods containing Peas of an exquisite flavour when cooked. A grand dry-weather Pea and resister of mildew.

Price 2s. per pint, 3s. 6d. per quart, 1s. per packet.

Carters Battleship (*Wrinkled Marrowfat*, 5 feet).—The blunt-ended pod of this robust Marrowfat Pea is one of its peculiarities. The fine dark green pods, which hang in pairs, are filled with large Peas of a rich flavour and a bright green colour when served at table; the haulm is exceedingly strong, and stands both drought and mildew better than most others.

Price 2s. per pint, 3s. 6d. per quart, 1s. per packet.

THE ROYAL HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY, reporting its trials at Wisley, says:—"Carters *Battleship*. Height, 5 feet. Haulm and pods pale green; pods in pairs; heavy crop."

Carters Danby Stratagem.—(Re-selected Stock) (*Wrinkled Marrowfat*, $2\frac{1}{2}$ feet).—Award of Merit, Royal Horticultural Society.—A distinct improvement on the original *Stratagem*, having longer, straighter, and broader pods, very freely produced. The haulm is very robust, and extends to a height of $2\frac{1}{2}$ feet, bearing a profusion of immense pods, many 6 inches in length, and frequently containing ten large full-flavoured Marrow Peas.

Price 2s. per pint, 3s. 6d. per quart, 1s. per packet.

Carters Improved Omega (*Wrinkled Marrowfat*, $2\frac{1}{2}$ feet).—A highly selected long-podded type of this popular Pea.

Price 2s. per pint, 3s. 6d. per quart, 1s. per packet.

Captain Cuttle (*Wrinkled Marrowfat*, $3\frac{1}{2}$ feet). A very useful late maincrop, very prolific.

Price 3s. per quart.

Champion of England (*Wrinkled*, 5 feet).—Prolific and hardy, small pod.

Price 1s. 9d. per quart.

Continuity (*Wrinkled Marrowfat*, 3 feet).—A fine prolific variety of good flavour. Price 2s. 6d. per quart.

Forty-fold (*Wrinkled*, 5 feet).—An improved type of *Champion of England*.

Price 1s. 9d. per quart.

Glory of Devon (*Wrinkled Marrowfat*, 3 feet).—Prolific, long large pods. Price 2s. 6d. per quart.

King of the Marrows (*Wrinkled Marrowfat*, 6 feet).—Much improved type of *Forty-fold*.

Price 1s. 9d. per quart.

Omega (*Wrinkled Marrowfat*, $2\frac{1}{2}$ feet).—Pods similar to *Ne Plus Ultra*. Price 2s. per quart.

Rex (*Wrinkled Marrowfat*, 5 feet).—Large pale-podded *King of the Marrows* type. Price 2s. 6d. per quart.

Royal Jubilee (*Wrinkled*, 3 to 4 feet).—Large fine Pea. Price 2s. 6d. per quart.

Sharpe's Queen (*Wrinkled Marrowfat*, 3 feet).—A popular maincrop. Price 2s. 3d. per quart.

Stratagem (*Wrinkled Marrowfat*, $1\frac{1}{2}$ to 2 feet).—Original stock of this fine Pea. Price 2s. 6d. per quart.

Carters Victoria (*Wrinkled*, 6 feet).—A fine productive Pea. Price 2s. per quart.

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CARTERS DREADNOUGHT.

(*Wrinkled Marrowfat, 3 feet.*)

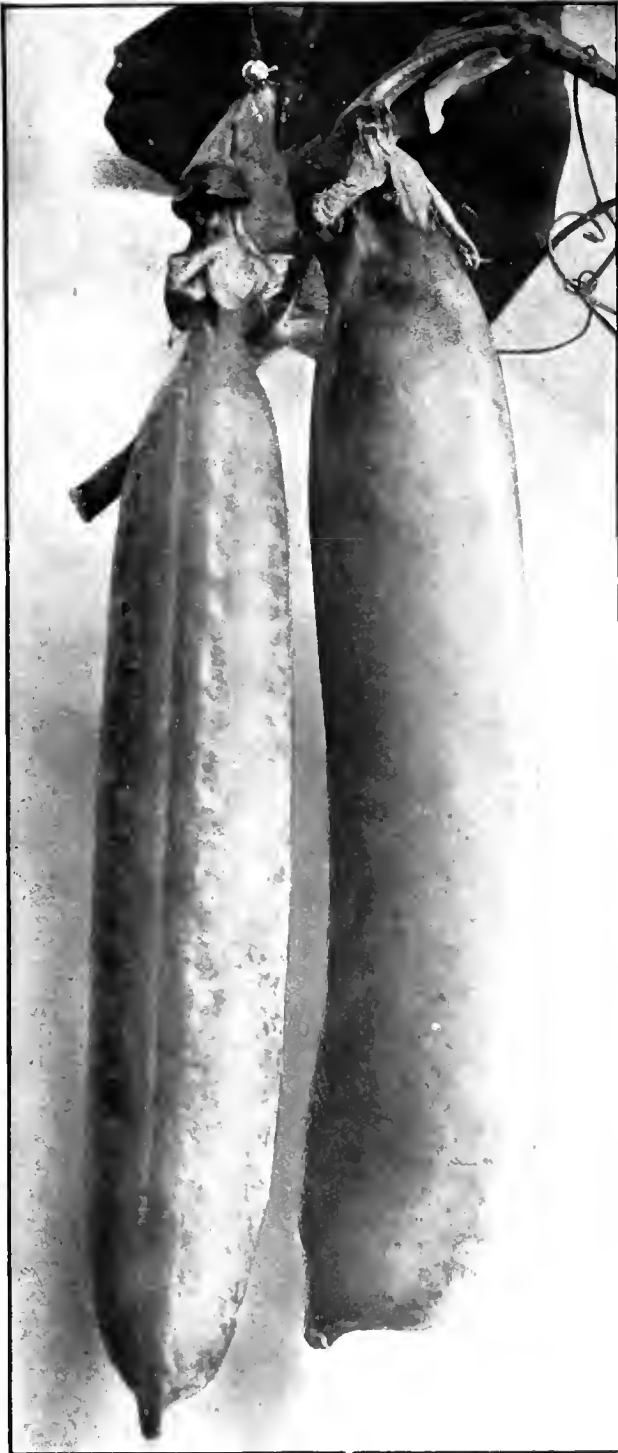
This remarkable Pea has been selected by us as a grand addition to the late Maincrop Section. It is the practice of our house to make comparative tests of all the new Peas introduced by growers both at home and abroad. After careful comparison we have failed to find a Pea that pleases us more as a variety to come in between the Maincrops and the very late Peas than *Dreadnought*. It has large bold pods well filled with Peas of delicious flavour.

We have been instrumental in introducing many Peas which have become standard varieties, such as *Telephone*, *Telegraph*, *Stratagem*, *Pride of the Market*, and *Daisy*, known all over the world, and we undertake to prophesy that this novelty is destined to take an equally permanent place, not only among amateurs, exhibitors, and connoisseurs at the table, but also as a profitable market Pea. Its large deep green well-filled pods, and its resistance to mildew and drought, are its distinguishing characteristics.

We have given it the name of *Dreadnought* at the suggestion of an esteemed horticulturist.

Price—

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NOVELTY
**CARTERS
LATEST GIANT.**

(*Wrinkled Marrowfat*,
4 feet.)

This splendid late Marrowfat Pea is the outcome of a cross between *Gladstone* and *Exhibition* in 1903, and has been exhibited in our Trial Grounds and at various Royal Horticultural Society Shows under Seedling No. 241. It is an all-round grand selection, possessing the free podding and strong habit of *Gladstone*, but bearing handsome well-filled pods very much larger than that excellent variety. The pods invariably contain eleven large deep - coloured Peas. It is fit for exhibition and unequalled for market. It is well described by the name *Latest Giant*.

Price **2s. 6d.** per pint.
Stock limited.

The Right Hon. Viscount Midleton's Head Gardener says:—" *Latest Giant* Pea. Height, 4 feet. This is a Pea of a very strong and robust constitution, haulm very dark green, the pods are long and handsome, each containing nine, chiefly in pairs. It is more desirable than the parents, as it comes in so much later, though it has the cropping proportions of *Gladstone* Pea. It really means that fine Marrowfat Peas can be obtained in October, which should prove a boon to many large establishments."— Mr. QUINTON, the Gardens, Peper Harrow Park, Godalming.

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We have offered a selection of choice Garden Peas with so much success during the past few seasons that we again quote the group as improved and representing the best collection calculated to produce Peas for five months, if sown at varying periods, during the spring and summer. It would be difficult to give precise dates for putting the seed into the ground, as so much depends upon soil and situation.

Successional sowings of these Peas should be made at any time between the dates named.

Name.	Description.	Height.	When to Sow.	Expect Ready to Pick.	PRICE, Carriage Free.		
					Per packet.	Per pint.	Per quart.
					1s.	2s.	3s. 6d.
CARTERS EARLY MORN.							
The best Early Marrowfat Pea; it has large pods, and is as early as the small white round varieties; the demand increases each year; of splendid flavour. (See Catalogue, page 77.)							
	First Early Marrowfat.	3 ft.	End of March.	During June.			
CARTERS DAISY.							
The most popular second early Marrowfat Pea grown; the haulm is very robust and covered with large and well-filled pods of good flavour. (See Catalogue, pages 88 and 89.)							
	Early Maincrop Marrowfat.	15 in.	Middle of April.	Early in July.	1s.	2s.	3s. 6d.
CARTERS COMMONWEALTH.							
A splendid variety for either exhibition or table use; strong grower, with profusion of pods hanging in pairs; will stand drought better than most varieties. (See Catalogue, page 93.)							
	Maincrop Marrowfat.	2 ft.	End of April.	July.	1s.	2s.	3s. 6d.
CARTERS MODEL TELEPHONE							
Highly selected strain of our well-known "Telephone," producing long handsome pods, containing 9 to 11 peas, in pods about 6 inches in length. (See Catalogue, page 97.)							
	Maincrop Marrowfat.	5 ft.	Middle of April.	July.	1s.	2s.	3s. 6d.
CARTERS QUITE CONTENT.							
This magnificent variety is without doubt the most successful Pea on the exhibition table throughout the country, the pods measure from 7 to 7½ inches, and contain from 10 to 12 large peas of superb flavour. (See Catalogue, pages 85 to 87.)							
	Maincrop Marrowfat.	6 ft.	Middle of April.	July.	1s.	Per ½-pint. 2s.	Per pint. 3s. 6d.
CARTERS EXHIBITION.							
A large and handsome - podded variety, bearing rich deep green pods filled with delicious peas of excellent flavour. (See Catalogue, page 96.)							
	Maincrop Marrowfat.	5 ft.	End of April.	July and August.	1s.	Per pint. 2s.	Per quart. 3s. 6d.
CARTERS DREADNOUGHT.							
This is without doubt one of the largest blunt-podded Peas in cultivation, has large deep green well-filled pods, and its resistance to mildew and drought are its distinguishing characteristics. (See Catalogue, page 99.)							
	Late Maincrop Marrowfat.	3 ft.	End of April.	August.	1s.	2s. 3d.	4s.
CARTERS MICHAELMAS.							
The latest Pea in cultivation; of very sturdy habit and a heavy cropper, producing profusion of pods in pairs of very rich deep green. (See Catalogue, page 103.)							
	Late Marrowfat.	3 ft.	End of May to middle of June.	September to November.	1s.	2s.	3s. 6d.
Catalogue Price					8s.	16s. 3d.	28s. 6d.
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The Latest Garden Pea in cultivation.

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LATE GARDEN PEAS.

CARTERS MICHAELMAS (*Wrinkled Marrowfat* $2\frac{1}{2}$ feet.—See Photograph on opposite page).—This grand Pea quite oversteps the boundary hitherto set by the times and seasons, and is absolutely distinct. Late varieties of Peas of past fame have been late mainly by reason of their strawy character. The constitution of Carters *Michaelmas* Pea is not run through in Straw, but we have fixed a dwarf bushy growth of $2\frac{1}{2}$ feet, which holds back its natural force and throws it into the pods; consequently, while being very prolific, its colour in pod is of the deepest green, and its pods are large and well filled. We have proved this Pea to possess a reserve of strength which will enable it to resist the drought and the mildew to a degree hitherto unknown in a Pea.

THE ROYAL HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY, in their report of trials at Wisley, say:—"Carters *Michaelmas*. Height, $2\frac{1}{2}$ feet; haulm and pods very dark green; very sturdy; pods in pairs; heavy crop."

Price 2s. per pint, 3s. 6d. per quart, 1s. per packet.

Sir Edmund Loder's Head Gardener says:—"Carters *Michaelmas* is still to gather—September 21st—and what I said last year I maintain now, we shall have Peas till after Michaelmas, and this variety produces Peas of the very best quality."—Mr. W. A. COOK, The Gardens, Leonardslee, Horsham.

The Gladstone—Carters re-selected stock (*Wrinkled Marrowfat*, 4 feet). A fine late variety, bearing long sickle-shaped pods, dark in colour, very prolific. Fine for exhibition. Height, $3\frac{1}{2}$ feet.

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Ne Plus Ultra—Carters re-selected (*Wrinkled Marrowfat*, 6 feet). This is a highly selected stock of an old and favourite variety, it is exceedingly prolific, bearing blunt-ended pods with peas of very fine flavour. A splendid Pea for late crops. Height, 6 feet.

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Autocrat (*Wrinkled Marrowfat*, 4 feet).—Excellent cropper, deep green pods. Per quart, 2s. 6d.

British Queen (*Wrinkled*, 6 feet).—One of the latest varieties; resists mildew; pale pods.

Price 2s. per quart.

Emperor of the Marrows (*Wrinkled*, 6 feet).—An old variety of good flavour. Per quart, 1s. 9d.

Latest of All (*Wrinkled*, 3 feet).—A very prolific Pea, a later type of *Autocrat*. Pods like *Ne Plus Ultra*.

Price 2s. per quart.

Ne Plus Ultra Original Stock (*Wrinkled*, 6 feet).—A fine late Pea. Fine flavour.

Price 1s. 6d. per quart.

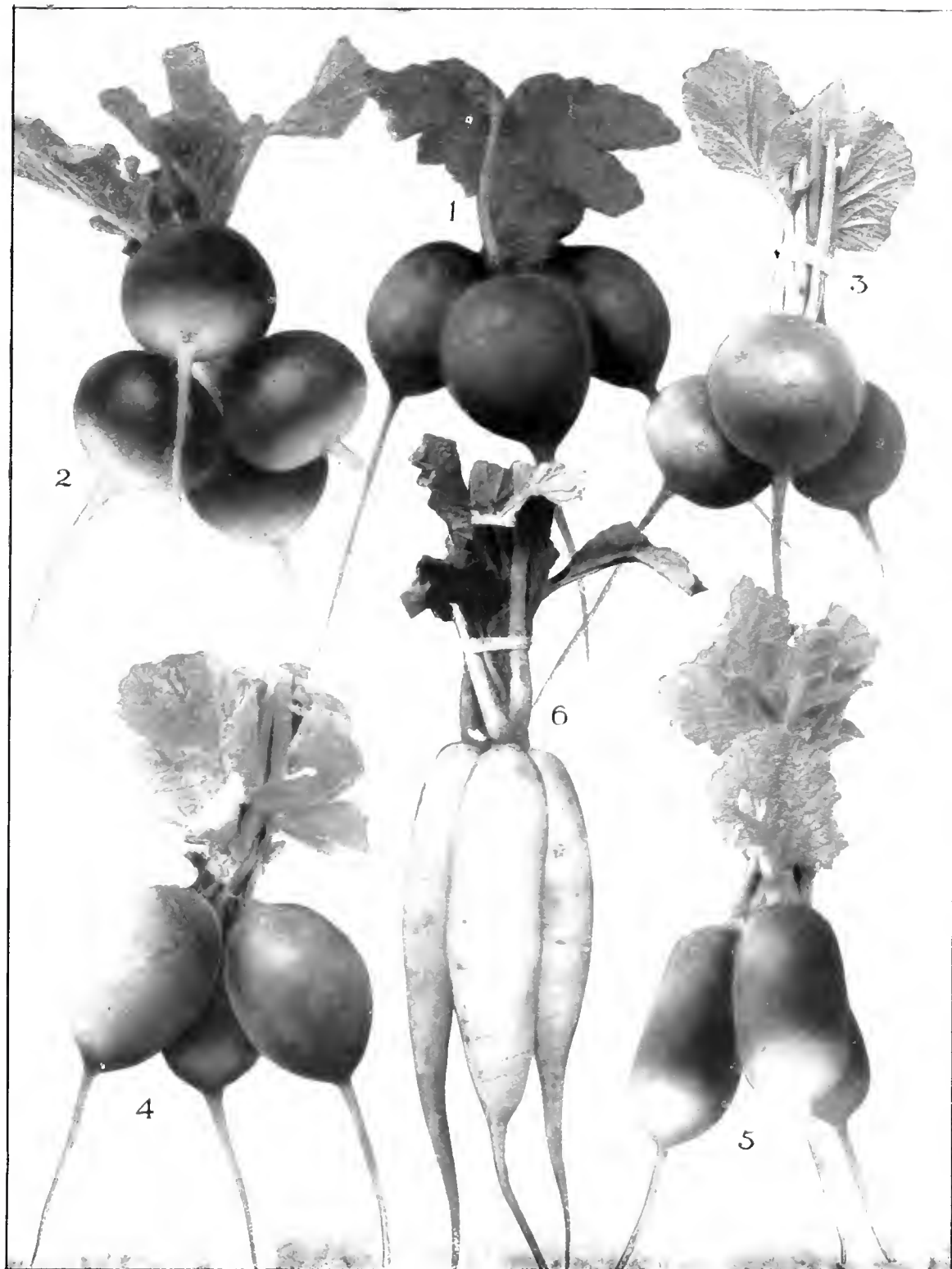
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Recommended to produce a good succession of fine flavoured Peas, as they include only approved sorts, which have been thoroughly tested in our Gardens.

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12 Quarts of Peas,	in 12 best sorts, for succession—our selection...	20	0
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24 Quarts of Peas,	in 12 best sorts, for succession—our selection...	36	0
12 Pints of Peas,	in 12 best sorts, for succession—our selection...	10	6
6 Quarts of Peas,	in 6 best sorts, for succession—our selection...	...	...	...	10	0
6 Pints of Peas,	in 6 best sorts, for succession—our selection...	...	...	...	5	6
4 Pints of Peas,	in 4 best sorts, for succession—our selection...	...	...	...	4	0

For Collection of Green Peas for Successional use and Exhibition, see pages 101 and 103.

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SIX NEW AND DISTINCT RADISHES.

All invaluable for early frame work.

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No. 1.—Carters Forcing Olive.

Splendid rich colour, very quick growing, having small top; flavour sweet and delicate

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No. 2.—Carters Early Round White Tipped.

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An exceedingly quick-growing globe-shaped Radish, with a showy appearance in the dish, and a peculiar nutty flavour.

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No. 4.—Carters Extra Early White Olive.

This radish has been specially selected for its crisp texture and fine flavour. It produces very little top and matures with remarkable rapidity.

Price 8d. per ounce, 3s. 6d. per pint, 3d. and 6d. per packet.

No. 5.—Carters Delicatesse.

An attractive breakfast dish. Its peculiar shape, crisp flesh, and nutty flavour give this fine selection a distinct advantage. Suitable for forcing.

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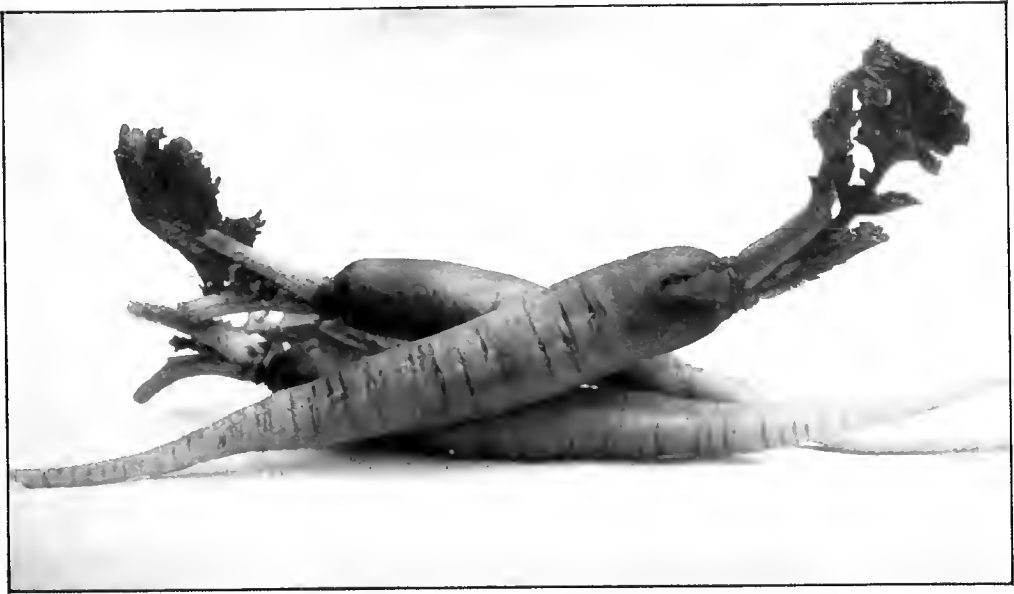
So named because of its unique transparent whiteness, attractive appearance, and freshness early in the season. The earliest long white Radish, of extraordinary crispness and tenderness. We offer this as a companion to our *Long Forcing Scarlet* Radish.

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Attractive bunches of the above varieties of Radishes formed part of Two Grand Prix and Gold Medal Exhibits at the Franco-British Exhibition, 1908.

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RADISH.—*Continued.*

Carters Long Forcing Scarlet (*see Photograph*).—A great advance on the old varieties. The very best long scarlet Radish for early work. Flesh crisp and tender.

Price 3s. 6d. per pint, 8d. per ounce, 3d. and 6d. per packet.

Carters Early Round White.—A small very quick growing variety, having a very sweet and delicate flavour.

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Carters French Breakfast.—There are so many inferior strains of this very popular Radish (introduced by our house from Paris years ago) that we recommend all connoisseurs of a fine appetising breakfast dish to grow only the real original type.

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Carters Triumph.—A new turnip-shaped Radish, mottled and striped. This is an altogether novel feature in Radishes; they are prettily mottled and splashed with carmine on delicate white flesh, which makes them, when on table, as attractive to the eye as they are to the palate.

Price 1s. per ounce, 3d. and 6d. per packet.

	Per quart. s. d.	Per pint. s. d.	Per 2 oz. s. d.	Per pkt. s. d.
French Breakfast (ordinary)	3 6	2 0	0 6	0 3
Wood's Long Frame. —An old favourite	3 0	2 0	0 6	0 3

"I must tell you I took First Prize with your Quite Content Pea against strong competition at our show."—Mr. G. DINES, Rodmarton.

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RADISH.—*Continued.*

SUMMER AND WINTER VARIETIES.

For particulars of new early Radishes, with Photographs, see pages 104 and 105.

Carters Crimson Marble.—A choice selection, symmetrical in form; flesh white, crisp, and solid; colour rich vermilion-crimson; fine mouse-tail root.

Price 2s. 6d. per pint, 6d. per ounce, 3d. per packet.

Carters "Knickerbocker."—A veritable giant, frequently growing to a length of 8 inches, and several inches in thickness. For exhibition purposes it is invaluable.

Price 2s. 6d. per pint, 6d. per ounce, 3d. per packet.

Carters London Long Red.—The particular fancy of the London Markets.

Price 2s. 6d. per pint, 6d. per ounce, 3d. per packet.

							Per quart.	Per pint.	Per 2 oz.	Per pkt.
							s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Carters Mixed Turnip	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 6	2 0	0 6	0 3
Carters Scarlet Olive Shaped. —Of bright attractive appearance and good flavour	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 6	2 0	0 6	0 3
Carters White Olive Shaped. —Fine flavour	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 6	2 0	0 6	0 3
Early Scarlet Short Top. —Long red	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 6	2 0	0 6	0 3
Mixed Olive Shaped	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 6	2 0	0 6	0 3
Red Turnip. —Rich scarlet	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 6	2 0	0 6	0 3
White Turnip. —Fine-flavoured	...	...	...	...	...	...	3 6	2 0	0 6	0 3

WINTER VARIETIES.

Turnip-Shaped China.—A scarlet variety of the *China Rose* Winter Radish. It may be sown at intervals from spring until autumn, and the roots obtained from late sowings can be kept in store for winter consumption. The root is round, of a fine scarlet colour, $2\frac{1}{2}$ to 3 inches in diameter; flesh pure white, of an agreeable and mild flavour. Price 6d. per ounce, 3d. per packet.

Long Black Spanish.—For autumn sowing; large and distinct.

Price 2s. 6d. per pint, 6d. per ounce, 3d. per packet.

China Rose, Oval Shaped.

Price 2s. 6d. per pint, 6d. per ounce, 3d. per packet.

The Cultivation of Radish.—Sow on a moderate hot-bed in January, February, and March; also every month during summer in well-prepared places in the open. The Radish thrives best when quickly grown in a rich deep moist soil. A sowing in frame, or on a warm border in October, is desirable for winter use. Water thoroughly during hot weather.

SALSAFY

OR VEGETABLE OYSTER.

Carters Mammoth.—A greatly improved form of the ordinary Salsafy ... 6d. per packet Per oz.—s. d.
1 3

SCORZONERA.

The roots are eaten cooked like those of the Salsafy, the leaves can be used as a salad.

Carters Improved Scorzonera ... 6d. per packet 1 0

Cultivation of Salsafy and Scorzonera.—The ground should be well trenched and manured during Autumn. Sow during March and April in drills about 15 inches apart. Thin out the plants to from six to eight inches apart for Salsafy but allow rather more room for Scorzonera. The roots should be taken up in November and stored in the same manner as Carrots.

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SALAD PLANTS.

Everyone should enjoy the pleasure of a salad several days a week, at all events during the summer season, with but trifling expense. It is a wholesome addition to more substantial diet, rendering it grateful to the palate, and it is a pity that it is so rarely brought to table in an average household. We will enumerate a few of the almost unknown salad plants, with some notes on their cultivation.

American Land Cress may be sown at any time during spring and summer out of doors. It is a useful variety tasting something like water cress.

Price 6d. per packet.

Beet.—See pages 6 to 8.

Celeriac, Carters Improved (or turnip-rooted Celery).—Pure white root, refined flavour. It is becoming popular in this country, owing to the more frequent contact nowadays of the English people with continental dishes. Seeds should be sown in pans in March, and the plants set out in shallow trenches to mature.

Price 6d. and 1s. per packet.

Chervil is used for seasoning soups and mixing in salads. It is grown from seed sown in spring and in summer for successional crops. The soil should be rich and light, and the bed 4½ feet wide, with an alley on each side. Sow seed in shallow drills across the bed, 9 inches apart, and rake over the surface. When the leaves have grown an inch or two, cut off for use as required.

Price 6d. per packet.

Chicory.—The majority of people know Chicory as an adulterant of Coffee, but few are aware of the part it plays in the salad bowl, to which it adds a pleasing flavour. Chicory is so easily grown and so useful, that it should receive more attention from amateurs who desire to grow salads. This plant is sown in late spring in the open ground, and thinned out to about a foot apart to grow through the summer, well watered in dry weather. With the change to a colder season, the leaves decay and nearly all drop off. The roots are then lifted, and a few at a time placed in boxes of rich sandy soil, leaving crown well above the surface. After a good watering these boxes are stood in a perfectly dark place, and in a few weeks, according to the heat, some nicely blanched leaves will be fit to gather. More roots, kept in a cool place until wanted for bringing along in heat, may be similarly treated.

Price 6d. per packet.

Whitlæf is a distinct variety of Chicory, largely grown in the suburbs of Brussels, and chiefly noted for the quality of its leaves.

Price 6d. per packet.

Chives is a hardy perennial found in rocky pastures. It is grown in gardens for its leaves, as a substitute for early onions. Propagate by dividing the roots into clumps in spring and autumn and plant from 8 to 12 inches apart. In order that the leaves be tender and succulent they should be often cut.

Plants price 6d. each.

Clary, used for flavouring soups.

Price 6d. per packet.

Corn Salad or Lambs' Lettuce.—This is a hardy annual, and in great demand as a salad plant on the Continent. In France it is preferred, admired, and relished in winter and spring instead of Lettuce, but it is not nearly so highly appreciated in Britain as it deserves. But when Endive is scarce Corn Salad is of great service, and for early use should be sown in frames or in boxes and placed in slight heat. For summer use it may go on the border or in lines in a sunny spot, amongst the ordinary low-growing vegetables.

Price 6d. per packet.

Cress.—See page 43.

Cucumber.—See pages 44 to 46.

Dandelion.—The common Dandelion is a useful salad plant, especially when Endive and Lettuce are scarce in winter. The roots are grown in a similar manner to Chicory, and large quantities of the blanched leaves are sold in the markets for this esculent. Price 6d. per packet.

Endive.—See page 50.

Lettuce.—See pages 54 to 58.

Mustard.—See page 43.

Nasturtium, of which the green seeds make a delightful salad. This plant is both a dwarf and a climber, and very ornamental as well as useful. The flowers are often used in salads, occasionally for decorating, and the leaves and young green plants are frequently pickled.

Price 3d. and 6d. per packet.

Purslain is a succulent plant and raised from seed, which may be sown in light garden soil in March on a warm sheltered border in a bed, and attended to in the same way as for Chervil.

Price 6d. per packet.

Radish.—See pages 104 to 107.

Rampion.—A plant producing a spindle-shaped root of light colour and of agreeable flavour. It may be raised from seed if sown in a bed in an open warm aspect, and in soil of a rich compost, of a light open texture. Water well in dry weather. Should the season prove mild, the plants will be ready for use in November.

Price 6d. per packet.

Shallots. The Shallot is much in favour as a relish for soups and for pickling. Offsets are often planted in the autumn, but the main crop is usually got in early in the year. The bulbs may be planted at any suitable time during this period, 12 inches between each row, and 6 inches from set to set. The bulbs should be firmly pressed in just beneath the surface of the soil, and here they remain. As the growth matures in spring, gently draw away the soil round the bulbs when they have become established, and if they look sickly, apply soot to the surface soil for maggots, and use the hoe for weeds. Lift, dry, and store crop as soon as ready, probably the end of June. For exhibition, twenty-five cloves or bulbs should be placed on a large plate, and see that they are firm, of medium size, ripe, of good colour, and nice small necks. There are two types, the Mammoth and the ordinary Shallot.

Shallot Seed. Jersey Red Skinned.

Price 6d. and 1s. per packet.

For price of bulbs, see page 49.

Tomato.—See pages 110 to 113.

Watercress.—Watercress may be successfully grown from seed if sown in a shaded border and kept well watered when started.

Price 6d. per packet.



THE CARTER SPINACH.

A SUPERB LONG-STANDER, WITH RICH DEEP GREEN LEAVES.

The Carter Spinach (*see Photograph*).—This fine Spinach was sent for trial to the Royal Horticultural Society, and was given an *Award of Merit*. Our photograph illustrates in a remarkable manner the solid substance of the leaves; and the whole plant, which is very fine in colour, is of far greater duration than ordinary Spinach.

Price **2s. 6d.** per pint; **6d.** per ounce; **3d.** per packet.

Carters Giant-leaved Winter.—A large thick-leaved form of the hardy prickly Spinach.

Useful on cold backward soils 2 6 0 6 0 3

Carters Market Favourite.—A well-known variety with leaves of great substance ... 2 6 0 6 0 3

New Zealand.—One planting on rich soil will give masses of healthy green foliage to last through the summer season — 0 10 0 6

Carters Long-Standing.—Stands well when others run to seed Per quart. Per pint. Per oz. Per pkt. s. d. s. d. s. d. s. d.

Carters Summer.—Thick leaves of great substance, stands longer than most others . 2 0 1 3 0 3 —

Perpetual Spinach, or Spinach Beet.—Leaves used in autumn as a substitute for Spinach — — 0 6 0 3

Prickly, or Winter.—For winter or spring use, very hardy... .. 2 0 1 3 0 3 —

Round.—For summer use 2 0 1 3 0 3 —

Thick-leaved Round.—Improvement on the old round variety — 2 0 0 6 0 3

Giant, or Mountain Orach — — 0 6 0 3

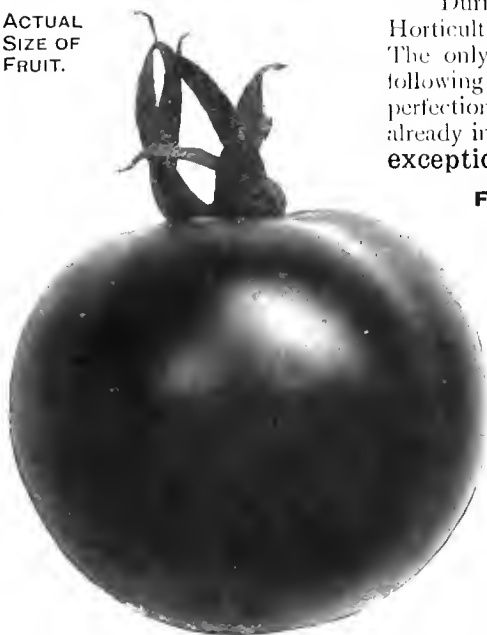
The Cultivation of Spinach.—Sow Round Spinach in succession from January to June, and Prickly or Winter Spinach the first week in August to stand the winter. Sow New Zealand Spinach in March in heat and transplant about the end of May, setting the plants about 3 feet apart.



CARTERS "SUNRISE" TOMATO.

FIRST CLASS CERTIFICATE, R. H. S.—INDOOR CULTIVATION.

ACTUAL
SIZE OF
FRUIT.



During 1905 an extensive trial of Tomatoes was made by the Royal Horticultural Society, 71 varieties being sent in from all the leading houses. The only First Class Certificate was given to CARTERS "SUNRISE," and the following note is attached to the report:—"Tomatoes have reached such perfection that it is now very difficult to raise a variety superior to those already in commerce. In this trial only one stood out as being of exceptional value, viz., 'Sunrise.'"

FIRST CLASS CERTIFICATE, R. H. S.—OUTDOOR VARIETY.

"F.C.C. confirmed as Outdoor variety, after growth at Wisley, Oct. 10th, 1907."

It is some time since such a high honour has been granted to a Tomato. The chief points in *Sunrise* are—

Its Earliness.—It ripens several days earlier than most varieties.

Its Prolific Character.—See Photographs.

Its Cropping Properties.—See Photographs and Testimonials.

Its Healthy and Robust Constitution.—No trace of Disease.

Its Solid but Delicate Flesh. Contains very few seeds and practically no eye

Its Evenness of Size as a Dessert Fruit.

Its Bright Scarlet Colour and rich Acid Flavour.

Its equal value for Indoor or Outdoor Cultivation.

Carters "Sunrise."—The finest Tomato for Indoor and Outdoor culture.

Price 2s. 6d. and 3s. 6d. per packet.

Carters Seedsmen by Appointment to His Majesty the King—High Holborn, London.

CARTERS "SUNRISE" TOMATO.

FOR INDOOR OR OUTDOOR CULTIVATION.

His Grace The Duke of Northumberland's late Head Gardener says:—"The fruits of *Sunrise* Tomato I exhibited at the Royal Horticultural Society's meeting on March 6th were sown in September and commenced fruiting in December—grown in 6-in. pots. It is a splendid winter fruiting variety."

His Grace The Duke of Buccleuch's Head Gardener says: "We grew fifty plants of *Sunrise* Tomato in pots here. It is a good cropper, sets very freely, and bears fine medium-sized fruits of splendid quality and flavour."—Mr. J. WHYTOCK, The Gardens, Dalkeith.

The Right Hon. The Earl of Carlisle's Head Gardener says: "I may say I gave *Sunrise* Tomato a trial last season and was highly pleased with it. It sets very freely and produces enormous trusses of highly-coloured medium-sized fruits of good quality."—Mr. A. E. SUTTON, Castle Howard.

The Right Hon. The Earl of Jersey's Head Gardener says: "*Sunrise* Tomato has cropped grandly outside this season. It has been quite the best one here."—Mr. J. HAWKES, The Gardens, Osterley Park.

The Right Hon. The Earl of Lathom's Head Gardener says:—"A marvellous cropping variety, and destined to become *the* Tomato for market growers especially. I never saw its equal for cropping and the fruits are just the size the market growers require—medium, with good appearance and no waste."—Mr. B. ASHTON, The Gardens, Lathom House.

The Right Hon. The Earl of Onslow's Head Gardener says:—"I have grown your *Sunrise* Tomato since first it came out, and I consider it the best Tomato ever sent out. It is earlier than most, no trouble to set, nice even size, and very heavy cropper, above all, the quality is unsurpassed."—Mr. H. W. BLAKE, The Gardens, Clandon Park, Guildford.

The Right Hon. The Earl of Sandwich's Head Gardener says:—"I have grown your *Sunrise* Tomato out of doors as well as in this season, with marvellous success, and consider it a perfect Tomato either for in or out door culture."—Mr. F. HANSFORD, The Gardens, Hook Court, Beaminster.

The Hon. Vicary Gibbs' Head Gardener says:—"We have just finished *Sunrise*. It is a capital Tomato, a wonderful setter, fine quality and flavour. They are the finest lot I have ever seen."—Mr. E. BECKETT, The Gardens, Aldenham House, Elstree.

The Right Hon. Viscount Portman's Head Gardener says:—"There is no doubt but that this is an excellent variety. The fruits are produced in abundance when the plants are quite small. When ripe they are of even size, good colour, and with smooth skins. Either for market or private gardens this will prove to be one of the best."—Mr. H. PRINSEP, The Gardens, Buxted Park.

The Right Hon. Viscount Midleton's Head Gardener says:—" *Sunrise* Tomato. I have never had such a heavy crop as I have had this season, especially outside on a wall facing south. I have counted as many as five large trusses, many carrying a dozen good-sized fruit, and all finished to a splendid colour, considering what wretched conditions prevailed for successful culture. They have also carried large crops inside, fruiting all up the plants from six inches from the border to the top of the house."—Mr. QUAINTON, The Gardens, Peper Harrow Park, Godalming.

Price 2s. 6d. and 3s. 6d. per packet.



CARTERS SUNRISE TOMATO GROWING IN THE OPEN.

First-class Certificate as Outdoor variety, R. H. S., Wisley, 1907.

Carters RAYNES PARK, LONDON, S.W.—1912.

CARTERS DUKE OF YORK TOMATO.

Awarded the First Class Certificate of the Royal Horticultural Society and Four Silver Medals, and included in the Gold Medal Collection, Shrewsbury, 1909.

259 FIRST PRIZES REPORTED TO US BY CUSTOMERS.

Carters Duke of York.—This grand variety still holds a very high position in public favour. Colour rich scarlet, splendid cropper, almost globular in shape; flesh very firm, fine flavour. A leading feature of this superb variety is that it ripens its fruit with the most pronounced uniformity, whilst the profusion of clusters, averaging six and ten evenly formed fruit each, makes it conspicuously handsome. These clusters contain variously sized fruits, large and medium, both for the table and exhibition. It can be grown in the open, but does not ripen so quickly as our Outdoor variety. Invaluable as an exhibition variety as for private growers and market purposes.



PHOTOGRAPH SHOWING SIZE OF FRUIT.

Price 2s. 6d. and 3s. 6d. per packet.

"I have been most successful with your *Duke of York*, having taken First for the past four years at Stranraer Show."—

Mrs. COWAN, Glenluce, N.B.

TOMATO.—Continued.

Carters Outdoor.—This variety readily fruits under the warmth of a south wall, or along the front of a greenhouse, in any situation where the full influence of the sun is felt and away from cold winds. In shape the fruit is not so round as our *Duke of York* or *Sunrise*.

Price 1s., 1s. 6d., and 2s. 6d. per packet.

NEW

Coreless.—We were quite impressed by this main crop Tomato last summer in our gardens at Raynes Park, it is quite a good bright red variety, almost round, solid, and free from green core.

Price 1s. 6d. and 2s. 6d. per packet.

Carters Perfection.—Quite distinct from any other variety named *Perfection*. It is very handsome in form, distinct in colour, exceedingly prolific, and of exquisite flavour. **108 First Prizes reported.**

Price 1s., 1s. 6d., and 2s. 6d. per packet.

Carters Blenheim Orange.—We raised and introduced this extraordinary Tomato, a curious cross between the red and yellow. Gathered when quite ripe they are luscious and juicy, and the nearest approach to the flavour of a plum. It contains very few seeds.

Price 1s., 1s. 6d., and 2s. 6d. per packet.

Carters Dedham Favourite.—Well known and deservedly popular.

Price 6d., 1s., and 1s. 6d. per packet.

Carters Greengage.—Introduced by us, and the first of the golden section of any value. Awarded a First Class Certificate by the Royal Horticultural Society.

Price 6d., 1s., and 1s. 6d. per packet.

Carters Market Favourite.—Price 6d., 1s., and 1s. 6d. per packet.

Carters Sandwich Island.—Price 6d. and 1s. per packet.

Carters Red Cherry.—A very prolific variety, about the size of a cherry. Price 6d. and 1s. per packet.

Carters Yellow Cherry.—Companion variety to our *Red Cherry*. Colour, bright yellow. In our opinion this yellow variety equals any of the red kinds for flavour that we have tasted. Price 6d. and 1s. per packet.

Carters Plum (*see Photograph*).—Plum-shaped, of prolific habit and good flavour. Price 1s. and 1s. 6d. per packet.

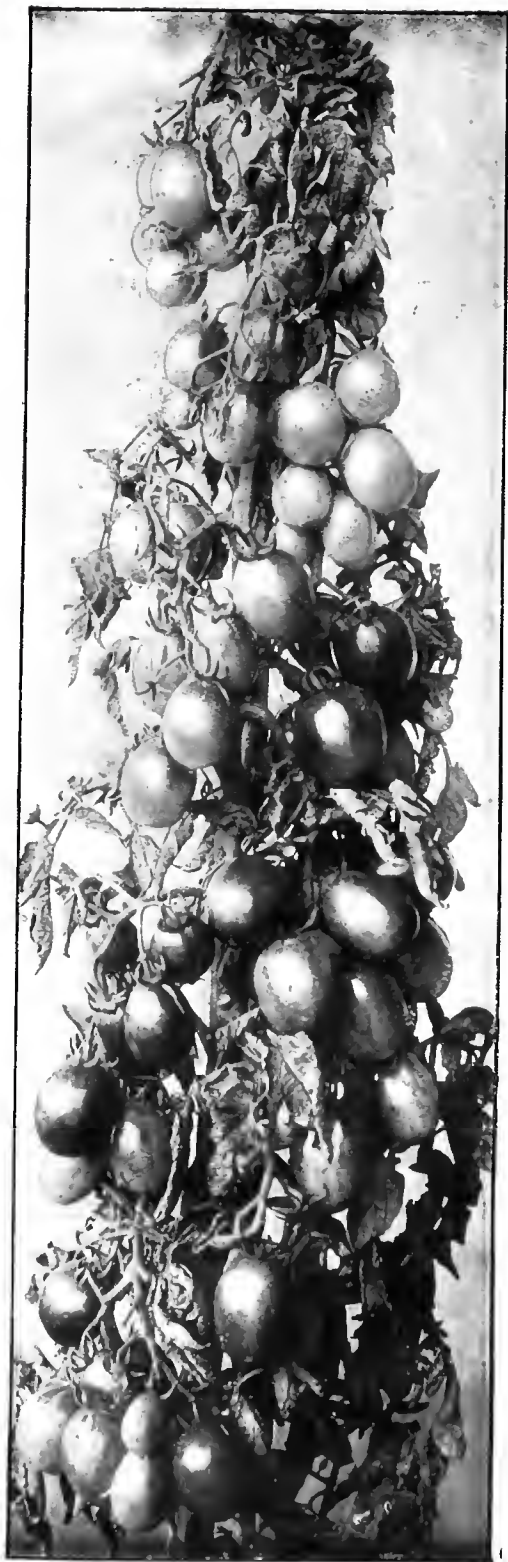
Carters Peach.—A curious variety, quite distinct from any other sort grown, quite peach-like in appearance. Price 6d. and 1s. per packet.

Carters Red Currant.—Smallest growing variety, hanging in long trusses, very pretty for decorative purposes. Price 6d. and 1s. per packet.

The following can also be supplied, price 6d. and 1s. per packet :—

CHALLENGER.	HAM GREEN FAVOURITE.	LARGE YELLOW.
CHEMIN ROUGE.	HAREFIELD GOLDEN GEM.	STIRLING CASTLE.
COMET.	HATHAWAY'S EXCELSIOR.	TROPHY.
HACKWOOD PARK.	LARGE RED.	

Cultivation.—Sow seed in February and March, and transplant into pots to harden off; afterwards plant out against a south wall in good soil; or they may be planted in a warm border, and carefully staked to keep the plant and fruit from straggling on the earth. If cultivated in pots the treatment should be the same, with the addition that liberal waterings of manure and rain-water will be found necessary, especially during the hottest part of the summer.



CARTERS PLUM TOMATO.

CARTERS EARLY LONG FORCING TURNIP.



Carters Early Long Forcing (*See Photograph*).—Quite a distinct Turnip for **Frame** or **Outdoor** work. Pure white flesh, and of most delicate flavour. It matures very rapidly, and is fit for table sooner than any other Turnip.

Award of Merit, Royal Horticultural Society, for Roots sown in cold frame, March 6th and exhibited, May 8th.

Price 3s. 6d. per pint; 8d. per ounce; 3d. and 6d. per packet.

The Cultivation of Turnip.—Sow Carters *Little Marvel* or Carters *Jersey Lily* for early use the first week in March on a gentle hot-bed under glass, and later in a warm situation in the open border. For main succession crops, sow every three weeks in the open ground until the beginning of July. For winter use, sow early in August and again in September.

"I am very pleased with your Seeds, and they have been a good success. Thanking you very much. The vegetables were very much admired by the spectators. Hoping it will lead to bringing you new customers. I have strongly recommended your Seeds."—J. BENTLEY.

"I would like to say just a word in praise of your Seeds. Everything I sowed did remarkably well, especially Peas. I started gathering Peas the second week in June and went on until nearly the end of October, my three last rows were a picture. *Glory of Devon* being my latest and best Pea."

W. MARSH, Gardener to the late Rev. J. Mirehouse. —



A NEW EARLY WHITE TURNIP.

Carters Little Marvel.—A cross between *Early White Milan* and *Jersey Lily*. This is a highly re-selected stock, the tendency to flatness in some of the roots having been entirely eradicated, the tops are small and compact. It is undoubtedly the quickest white globe-shaped Turnip in cultivation. Flesh crisp and solid and, as aptly described by one of our customers, "is a Little Marvel." Very distinct in both habit and foliage, and is a splendid Table Turnip. Twenty First Prizes reported last season.

THE ROYAL HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY, reporting from their trials at Wisley, says:—"Carters *Little Marvel* Turnip. White, round, handsome; foliage short and sturdy. A very early variety that should be valuable for forcing."

This remarkable cross-bred Turnip closely follows the *Milan* and is considerably forwarder than *Jersey Lily*. It has become popular with gardeners for early work as it is as good as it looks.

Price 3s. 6d. per pint, 8d. per ounce, 3d. and 6d. per packet.

"A NEW TURNIP—LITTLE MARVEL. This new introduction from Messrs. Carter & Co., High Holborn, is a great gain in earliness and quality, and will be a most valuable root for first crop in the open. So far I have only had roots grown in frames, and when forced they were superior to the *Early Milan* variety. I grew the *Milan* by the side of the new *Little Marvel* to test its earliness, and in this respect it is equal to the older variety. It should be a useful root for first crop in the open, or for a quick crop required in a short time, and it can be grown for a summer crop."—G. WYTHES, in *The Garden*.

The Right Hon. Viscount Middleton's Head Gardener says:—"Little Marvel Turnip. Foliage dwarf; white, round, handsome shaped roots; very solid, very quick maturing its growth, and should stand forcing well."—Mr. QUAINFON, The Gardens, Peper Harrow Park.

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TURNIPS FOR THE GARDEN.



Carters Jersey Lily (*see Photograph*).—The most perfect in outline, and the best White Garden Turnip grown. In shape as round as an orange, of exquisite flavour, with single tap root, and very distinct small top.

185 FIRST PRIZES REPORTED BY CUSTOMERS DURING THE PAST THREE SEASONS.

Price 3s. 6d. per pint, 8d. per ounce, 6d. and 3d. per packet.

Carters Purple-Top Strapleaf.—A variety with plain strap-like leaves and flesh of fine texture ; colour of top of root a rich reddish purple. A perfect model in form, and highly valuable for exhibition.

Price 2s. 6d. per pint, 6d. per ounce, 3d. per packet.

Carters Golden Rose.—One of the hardiest and best Winter Turnips ; flesh of a rich golden-yellow colour, with single tap root ; flavour most delicate and melting. Awarded a Special First Class Certificate at the Vegetable Conference of the Royal Horticultural Society.

Price 2s. 6d. per pint, 6d. per ounce, 3d. per packet.

Carters Crimson-Top Table Swede.—A choice stock of Swede Turnip with orange flesh, and specially adapted for growing as a winter table vegetable.

Price 1s. 6d. per pint, 3d. per ounce.

Carters Seedsmen by Appointment to His Majesty the King—High Holborn, London.



Carters White Milan (*see Photograph*).—This is an exceptionally fine selected stock, strongly recommended for early garden work. It is as quick as a Radish, clean in growth, and of very fine flavour.

Price 2s. 6d. per pint, 6d. per ounce, 3d. per packet.

ORDINARY EARLY VARIETIES.

	Per pint.	Per 2 ozs.	Per oz.	Per pkt.
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Carters Nimble Six-Weeks. —White	1 6	0 6	—	0 3
Early Mousetail Snowball. —White ball	2 6	—	0 6	0 3
Early Munich. —Very quick, flat shape	2 6	—	0 6	0 3
Early Selected Stone. —Round white... ..	1 6	0 6	—	0 3
Early White Strapleaf. —For light soils, flat, early	2 6	—	0 6	0 3
Green-top Six-Weeks	1 6	0 6	—	0 3
Red Top Early Milan. —Fine shape, flat, early	2 6	—	0 6	0 3
Carters Selected Green Top Stone. —This stock has been selected for its earliness and quality	2 6	—	0 6	0 3

ORDINARY MAIN CROP VARIETIES.

	Per pint.	Per 2 ozs.	Per oz.	Per pkt.
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Carters White Round	1 6	0 6	—	0 3
All the Year Round. —A yellow-fleshed variety	1 9	0 6	—	0 3
Jersey Navet. —An early long ; to follow the forcing varieties... ..	2 6	—	0 6	0 3
Orange Jelly. —Golden flesh	2 6	—	0 6	0 3
Red American Strapleaf. —A quick red-top white	2 6	—	0 6	0 3
Red American Stone. —A large red-topped white round	2 6	—	0 6	0 3
Red Globe	2 6	—	0 6	0 3
Silver Ball. —A choice stock	2 6	—	0 6	0 3
White Dutch. —A hardy small flat Turnip	1 0	0 6	—	0 3
Yellow Maltese	2 6	—	0 6	0 3

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VEGETABLE MARROW.



MOORE'S CREAM.

CARTERS TRAILING WHITE.

PEN-Y-BYD.

MUIR'S PROLIFIC.

CARTERS LONG GREEN STRIPED.

Carters Trailing White.—One of the quickest growing varieties we know of; the fruit will extend to a great length whilst retaining all the tenderness of small young Marrows.

Price 6d., 1s., and 1s. 6d. per packet.

Carters Long Green Striped.—A giant prolific variety, the very best for gardens that lie in a bleak and exposed position. Price 6d. and 1s. per packet.

Muir's Prolific.—A distinct variety, with small globular fruit, creamy white in colour, and solid flesh. Price 6d. and 1s. per packet.

Pen-y-byd (The best in the world).—A round fruiting Marrow, creamy-white in colour; very superior. Price 6d. and 1s. per packet.

Moore's Vegetable Cream.—Very fine variety, of creamy colour and of delicious flavour. Price 6d. and 1s. per packet.

Improved Custard (see Photograph).—Curious and ornamental fruit, of fine delicate flavour. Price 6d. and 1s. per packet.



IMPROVED CUSTARD MARROW.

	Per packet—	s.	d.
Bush or Cluster. —A useful variety in small gardens	0	3 & 0 6
Large Cream. —Cream coloured fruit, growing to large size	0	3 & 0 6
Long White	0	3 & 0 6
Long Yellow	0	3 & 0 6
Shirley Hibberd's. —Small and full of quality	0	6 & 1 0

The Cultivation of Vegetable Marrows.—Sow in heat during April, and transplant into highly-manured bed when ready and all chances of frost are past; or sow under a hand-glass in May upon a richly-manured border.

PUMPKINS AND GOURDS.

	Per packet—	s.	d.
Pumpkin, King of the Mammoths. —A giant form, in great request for show purposes. (Mammoth or Hundredweight)	...	1	0
Gourds, Ornamental Mixed —(See page 212)	1	0
Squash. —American varieties in mixture	0	6 & 1 0

FRENCH INTENSIVE CULTURE.

One of the great advantages of the French method of intense cultivation of vegetables under bell glass or in frames is that the produce is ready for the kitchen or the table, in succession and at periods of the year, when under ordinary cultivation it would not be available. Garden produce out of season is always an attraction. For instance, Celery Self-blanching which requires no banking up is ready in July and August. The following selection is based upon the experience of French maraichers both in France and in this country.

CARROT.

Paris Forcing Round
Carters Long Forcing

	Per packet—s. d.
Rouge à forcer Parisienne... ..	... 6d. & 1 0
Rouge longue à forcer sans cœur 6d. & 1 0

CAULIFLOWER.

Early Paris Frame

Nain Hâtif de Paris 1 0
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CELERY.

Self-blanching
Celeriac

Celeri toujours blanc 6d. & 1 0
Celeriac 6d. & 1 0

ENDIVE.

Green Curled Paris
Batavian

Frisée fine verte de Paris ... ..	... 6d. & 1 0
Scarole maraichère .. ..	... 6d. & 1 0

LETTUCE.

Cabbage variety—
Paris Market Forcing
Cos variety—
Paris White

Gotte lente à monter... ..	... 6d. & 1 0
Romaine blonde maraichère 6d. & 1 0

MELON.

Red Fleshed Parisian

Cantaloup Parisien 1 0
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RADISH.

Extra Early Forcing Scarlet Turnip }
Extra Early Forcing White Turnip }
Forcing French Breakfast Long Forcing Scarlet

A forceer ronde écarlate ... ..	... 6d. & 1 0
„ „ blanc... ..	... 6d. & 1 0
„ olive à bout blanc ... ..	... 6d. & 1 0
Écarlate longue à forceer ... ..	... 6d. & 1 0

TURNIP.

Long Forcing French
White Early Frame
White Red Top Frame

Navet à forceer $\frac{1}{2}$ -long blanc ... ..	... 6d. & 1 0
„ „ plat blanc ... ..	... 6d. & 1 0
„ „ „ à col rouge ... ..	... 6d. & 1 0

SEED POTATOES.

THE ADVANTAGES OF PLANTING A RELIABLE CHANGE.

It is generally admitted that one of the most fruitful elements of the potato disease is supplied by a repeated growth year after year of the same stock of potatoes on the same land.

Another danger frequently recurring is the gradual undermining of the constitution of the potato by injudicious selection, alternately resulting in a weakly impoverished stock that too readily succumbs to the earliest attacks of the potato murrain.

Too much importance cannot be attached to this subject, and a change of seed is positively essential if a thoroughly reliable and superior crop is expected.

Our stocks have been grown and selected with the utmost vigilance, and under normal conditions of soil and situation will produce first-class crops.

Our crops are especially grown for seed purposes, that is to say, they are not over-fed for the sake of producing enormous tubers. They are kept true to name and description, and are not lifted until thoroughly ripe.

We go to this trouble and expense with a view to make our potatoes as disease resisting as the season will permit.

We grow potatoes in England and Scotland, on the chalk in Kent, on the sand in Bedfordshire, on the rich warp-lands in Lincolnshire, so that we possess the advantages of supplying a distinct change of seed to every customer.

We do not list several of the rank-growing new varieties which need too much space in ordinary gardens, neither do we catalogue others in which we can find no merits.

One of the constantly recurring questions put to us by our customers each year, is "**which may be considered the best varieties** of potatoes for First Early, Mid-Season and Main Crop, respectively?" To answer this, it would be necessary to be acquainted with the characteristics of the soil in every garden and the tastes of every grower. Some potatoes take more kindly to a particular soil than others, but those who have tried several of our well-known varieties have proved which potato suits their soil and culinary requirements, and acting on the axiom of "find a friend to keep a friend," continue to grow the same variety year after year.

This practice is a good one providing that a constant change of seed tubers is maintained, though it tends to increase the list of popular varieties from the number of which it is difficult to make a selection of the best.

Many years of close observation, however, of potato culture under varying soil and climatic conditions, together with the results of our own trials at Raynes Park and Forest Hill, and the confirmatory reports we receive from time to time from customers in all parts of the country, have enabled us to mention the three undermentioned varieties as the best and most suitable for general purposes.

THREE BEST POTATOES.

First Early.—"Carters Early Favourite." Award of Merit, R.H.S. (*See page 122.*)

Mid-Season.—"Carters Royalty." Awarded Silver Medal for best white potato at the National Show. (*See page 124.*)

Main Crop.—"Carters Longkeeper." Award of Merit, R.H.S. (*See page 127.*)

(Particulars and prices will be found on the following pages.)

CARTERS HAND-PICKED SEED POTATOES.

During March and April our season's supplies become much reduced, and we are often quite sold out of particular varieties. It is always our endeavour to send something likely to give satisfaction in place of any we may not have available.

Carters Address for all
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CARTERS POTATOES FOR EXHIBITION.

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AWARDS.

First and only Award of Merit granted by the Royal Agricultural Society of England, 1910, for a collection of over 100 distinct varieties of Potatoes exhibited 10½ months after lifting.

ROYAL HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY.--First Prize, Silver Gilt Knightian Medal, Open Competition to trade Growers.

Two Silver Gilt Knightian, Silver Gilt Banksian, Silver Knightian, and two First Prizes Open Competition awarded to the produce of Carters Seed Potatoes, 1909 and 1910.

FRANCO-BRITISH EXHIBITION,--First Prize, the highest possible award in the competitive class (12 different varieties), open to all French and English growers at the Franco-British Exhibition, was won with a magnificent exhibit from The Rt. Hon. Earl of Lathom (Mr. Ben Ashton, gardener), grown from the produce of Carters Seed Potatoes, Class 35.

NATIONAL POTATO SOCIETY.--The 50-Guinea Challenge Cup won three years in succession. Exhibitor, The Rt. Hon. Earl of Lathom (Mr. Ben Ashton, gardener).

The Llewelyn Cup two years in succession with the produce of seed obtained from Carters.

COLLECTIONS OF SEED POTATOES.

For the use of Exhibitors and others we offer the following Collections: -

6 varieties, 3 lbs. each, our selection ...
12 varieties, 3 lbs. each, our selection ...
6 varieties, 7 lbs. each, our selection ...

When ordered alone the cost of carriage will be charged.

s.	d.
5	0
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CARTERS SELECTED EARLY POTATOES.

For Frame and Early Border Use.

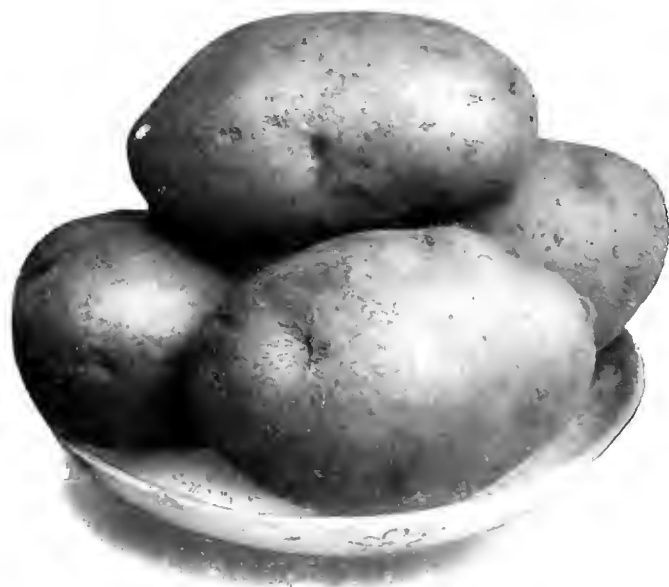
The best First Early for general use (*see page 120*).

Carters Early Favourite (*Oval Shape, White Flesh, see Photograph*).—A smooth-skinned Potato with medium haulm, a first-class cooker from light and medium soils. This Potato is of great service where space is limited, for it can be dug in an ordinary season in July.

Price per peck of 14 lbs., 5s. Trial box, 1s. 6d.

Carters First Crop (*Kidney, Yellow Flesh*).—A perfect type of forcing or frame Kidney Potato for a gentleman's garden. The haulm is compact, and the tubers come in remarkably quick when grown in frames or pots. They are beautifully shaped.

Price per peck of 14 lbs., 4s. 6d. Trial box, 1s. 6d.



CARTERS EARLY FAVOURITE

Sir John Llewelyn (*Oval, White Flesh*).—An early white Potato, raised in Wales, many days earlier than some stocks of *Early Ashleaf Kidney*. Haulm fairly tall, eyes shallow. Award of merit R.H.S. It has proved a good cropper on various soils.

Price per peck of 14 lbs., 3s. 6d. Trial box, 1s. 6d.

Carters Excelsior (*Round, White Flesh*).

One of the best earliest round varieties with which we are acquainted. Compact in growth, and a good table Potato on all kinds of soils.

Price per peck of 14 lbs., 4s. 6d.

Trial box, 1s. 6d.

Carters Advancer (*Pebble Shape, White Flesh*).—Smooth skin, medium haulm.

In the trials of the Royal Horticultural Society a few years since this variety was one of the very few that were selected for fine appearance and good cropping qualities. A heavy producer on all good garden soils, and particularly valuable on light soils.

Price per peck of 14 lbs., 4s. 6d.

Trial box, 1s. 6d.



CARTERS ADVANCER.

Carters Seedsmen by Appointment to His Majesty the King—High Holborn, London.

CARTERS EARLY AND MID-SEASON POTATOES.



CARTERS IMPROVED EARLY ASHLEAF POTATO.

It is necessary that Seed Potatoes procured during winter, and not required for planting for some time, should be taken out of the bag or package in which they are received, and laid out in an airy shed, protected from frost, or the eyes will commence to sprout and a weakly growth follows. It is the custom with professional gardeners to lay out the tubers of early varieties in the light to induce sturdy sprouts, and each Potato is carefully planted with this growth on it.



CARTERS SURPRISE POTATO.

Carters Improved Early

Ashleaf.—A fine yellow-fleshed Kidney with a small top, ready for lifting in summer; very popular early

Early Ashleaf (*Kidney, Yellow Flesh*).—Original stock... ..

Myatt's Early Kidney (*Kidney, Yellow Flesh*).—An excellent stock of this fine variety

Ringleader (*White Flesh, Kidney*).—Grand variety

Express (*Oval, White Flesh*).—Very early. Splendid quality

May Queen (*Kidney, White Flesh*)

Early Rose (*Kidney, White Flesh*).—Pink skinned, excellent cooker

Carters Invicta (*Round, Cream Flesh*).—A fine Potato, good cropper, and useful as an Exhibition variety. Pink skin. Stock limited

Early Puritan (*Kidney, White Flesh*).—Fine early Potato

Victor (*Kidney, Yellow Flesh*).—Popular variety

Duke of York (*Oval, Yellow Flesh*).—Very prolific

Snowdrop (*White Flesh Kidney*).—Of sterling merit. Awarded a First Class Certificate by the Royal Horticultural Society. Seems to do well on all soils

Early Regent (*White Flesh, Round*).—A fine Potato, possessing the sterling qualities of the *Old Regent*, with the advantage of being considerably earlier. Useful where space is limited

British Queen (*Pebble Shape, White Flesh*).—A fine second early variety, very popular

Carters Surprise (*Oval, Pale Yellow Flesh*).—The result of a cross between *Magnum Bonum* and *Myatt's Ashleaf Kidney*. Succeeds on all soils

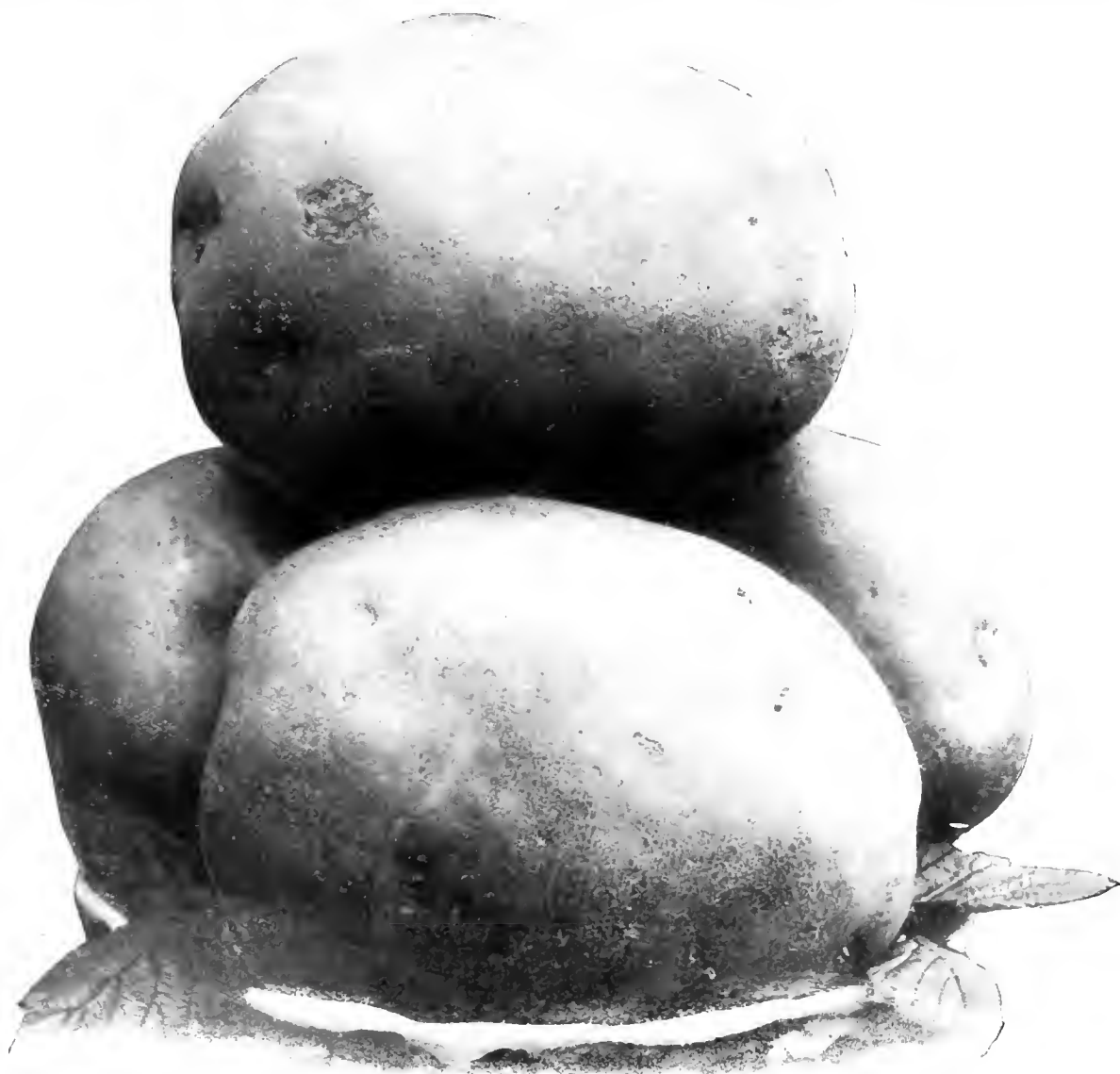
Beauty of Hebron (*Pink Oval, White Flesh*).—One of the best on light and medium soils in a dry summer

White Beauty of Hebron (*Oval, White Flesh*).—A white-skinned variety of the last named

Carters Emperor (*Kidney, White Flesh*).—A fine purple skinned, good cropper, and useful as an Exhibition variety. Stock limited

	Per Bush. or ½ cwt. s. d.	Per Peck (14 lbs.) s. d.	Per Trial Box. s. d.
Carters Improved Early Ashleaf. —A fine yellow-fleshed Kidney with a small top, ready for lifting in summer; very popular early	15 6	4 6	1 6
Early Ashleaf (<i>Kidney, Yellow Flesh</i>).—Original stock... ..	14 0	4 0	1 6
Myatt's Early Kidney (<i>Kidney, Yellow Flesh</i>).—An excellent stock of this fine variety	10 6	3 0	1 3
Ringleader (<i>White Flesh, Kidney</i>).—Grand variety	15 6	4 6	1 6
Express (<i>Oval, White Flesh</i>).—Very early. Splendid quality	14 0	4 0	1 6
May Queen (<i>Kidney, White Flesh</i>)	14 0	4 0	1 6
Early Rose (<i>Kidney, White Flesh</i>).—Pink skinned, excellent cooker	12 0	3 6	1 3
Carters Invicta (<i>Round, Cream Flesh</i>).—A fine Potato, good cropper, and useful as an Exhibition variety. Pink skin. Stock limited	—	5 0	1 6
Early Puritan (<i>Kidney, White Flesh</i>).—Fine early Potato	10 6	3 0	1 0
Victor (<i>Kidney, Yellow Flesh</i>).—Popular variety	14 0	4 0	1 6
Duke of York (<i>Oval, Yellow Flesh</i>).—Very prolific	10 6	3 0	1 0
Snowdrop (<i>White Flesh Kidney</i>).—Of sterling merit. Awarded a First Class Certificate by the Royal Horticultural Society. Seems to do well on all soils	10 6	3 0	1 6
Early Regent (<i>White Flesh, Round</i>).—A fine Potato, possessing the sterling qualities of the <i>Old Regent</i> , with the advantage of being considerably earlier. Useful where space is limited	8 6	2 6	1 0
British Queen (<i>Pebble Shape, White Flesh</i>).—A fine second early variety, very popular	8 6	2 6	1 0
Carters Surprise (<i>Oval, Pale Yellow Flesh</i>).—The result of a cross between <i>Magnum Bonum</i> and <i>Myatt's Ashleaf Kidney</i> . Succeeds on all soils	12 0	3 6	1 6
Beauty of Hebron (<i>Pink Oval, White Flesh</i>).—One of the best on light and medium soils in a dry summer	12 0	3 6	1 6
White Beauty of Hebron (<i>Oval, White Flesh</i>).—A white-skinned variety of the last named	10 6	3 0	1 0
Carters Emperor (<i>Kidney, White Flesh</i>).—A fine purple skinned, good cropper, and useful as an Exhibition variety. Stock limited	—	5 0	1 6

CARTERS SECOND EARLY AND MID-SEASON POTATOES.



The Best Mid-season Potato for General use is "Carters Royalty."

Carters Royalty (*Oval, White Flesh*). This grand mid-season Potato was AWARDED THE SILVER MEDAL FOR THE BEST WHITE POTATO AT THE NATIONAL POTATO SOCIETY'S SHOW. It produces a medium haulm and is very productive on all soils, the tubers seeming to retain their whiteness, dryness and fine flavour when cooked under all methods. In the Cheshire County Council Agricultural Experiments it came out first in its class, beating fifteen others.

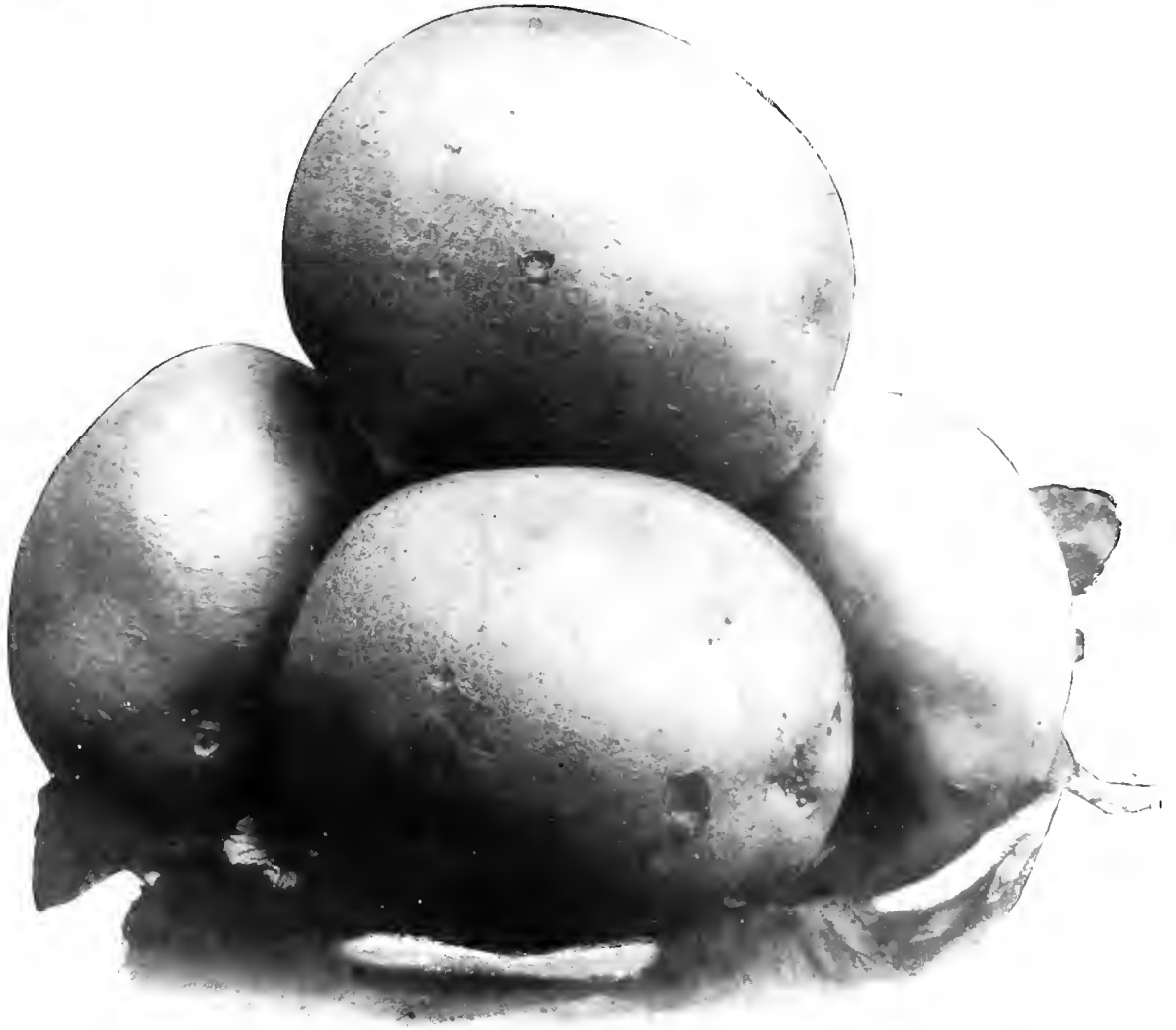
Price 14s. per bushel or $\frac{1}{2}$ cwt.; 4s. per peck; 1s. 6d. per trial box.

Mr. A. G. GENTLE, Gardener to Mrs. DENNISON, Winner of the Silver Gilt Knightian Medal of the R.H.S., says: "I speak highly of your *Royalty* Potato, it is a very heavy cropper and a splendid cooker."

"I have ordered *Royalty* Potatoes again as they have done us so well. The peck I had from you last year yielded nearly 400 lbs. weight."—Mr. M. T. REYNOLDS, Haslemere.

Carters Seedsmen by Appointment to His Majesty the King—High Holborn, London.

CARTERS MID-SEASON AND MAINCROP POTATOES.



First Prize and Silver Cup National Potato Society.

Carters Snowball (*Round, White Flesh*). This fine mid-season is now almost too well known to need description. Its popularity for the show table is now supreme, whilst its fine eating character is firmly established. It is almost round in shape, rough skin, medium haulm and withal a splendid cooking Potato. 34 First Prizes reported last season.

Price **15s. 6d.** per bushel or $\frac{1}{2}$ cwt.; **4s. 6d.** per peck; **1s. 6d.** per trial box.

We export large quantities of Seed Potatoes, for which special quotations are given.

Our customer writes from "Riversmead Farm," P.O. Norvals Point, South Africa:—

"It may please you to learn the consignment of Seed Potatoes reached us in really magnificent condition, due to the exceptionally careful packing."—ALFRED HARMSWORTH.

Carters Address for all Correspondence, **RAYNES PARK, LONDON, S.W.**—1912.

CARTERS MID-SEASON AND MAINCROP POTATOES.



CARTERS MONARCH POTATO.

"I was delighted with your Seed Potatoes last year. I had 200 lbs. from 14 lbs. of seeds, and I feel sure you will be pleased to hear that they were absolutely free from disease."—GEO. H. PRIDDY, Esq., Bristol.



CARTERS KING OF THE RUSSETS POTATO.

"The seeds you have sent have always given the greatest of satisfaction. I have won many prizes from your seeds. I won a first with your potatoes in a strong class."—Mr. W. BRIGHT, Gardener to the Rev. E. A. Donaldson.



CARTERS GOLDFINDER POTATO.

"I had a splendid crop of your *Goldfinder* Potato, admired by all who saw it, and won with a fine stand of vegetables at our show, the produce of your seeds. Your *Quite Content* Pea being 'quite conspicuous.'"—JOSEPH C. FORDY, Esq., Warkworth.

Carters Monarch (*Round, Pale Yellow Flesh*).—Honoured with the highest credentials from the Royal Horticultural Society after critical trials both for cropping, shape, and cooking properties. It succeeds on all classes of soil, and is particularly valuable on heavy retentive soils where others fail

Carters King of the Russets (*Round, White Flesh*).—A pink-skinned keeping Potato with a white and floury flesh. Strongly recommended as a heavy cropper on medium soils

Carters Goldfinder (*Oval, White Flesh*).—A grand Potato on all soils. Handsome in shape, very shallow eyes, absolutely no waste, flesh fine in texture, floury white, and quality superb ...

King Edward VII. (*Kidney, White Flesh*).—Mid-season. White skin splashed with red. Very robust, prolific, and succeeds on almost all soils ...

Windsor Castle (*Oval, White Flesh*).—A great cropper of fine quality on medium soils; a good exhibition variety ...

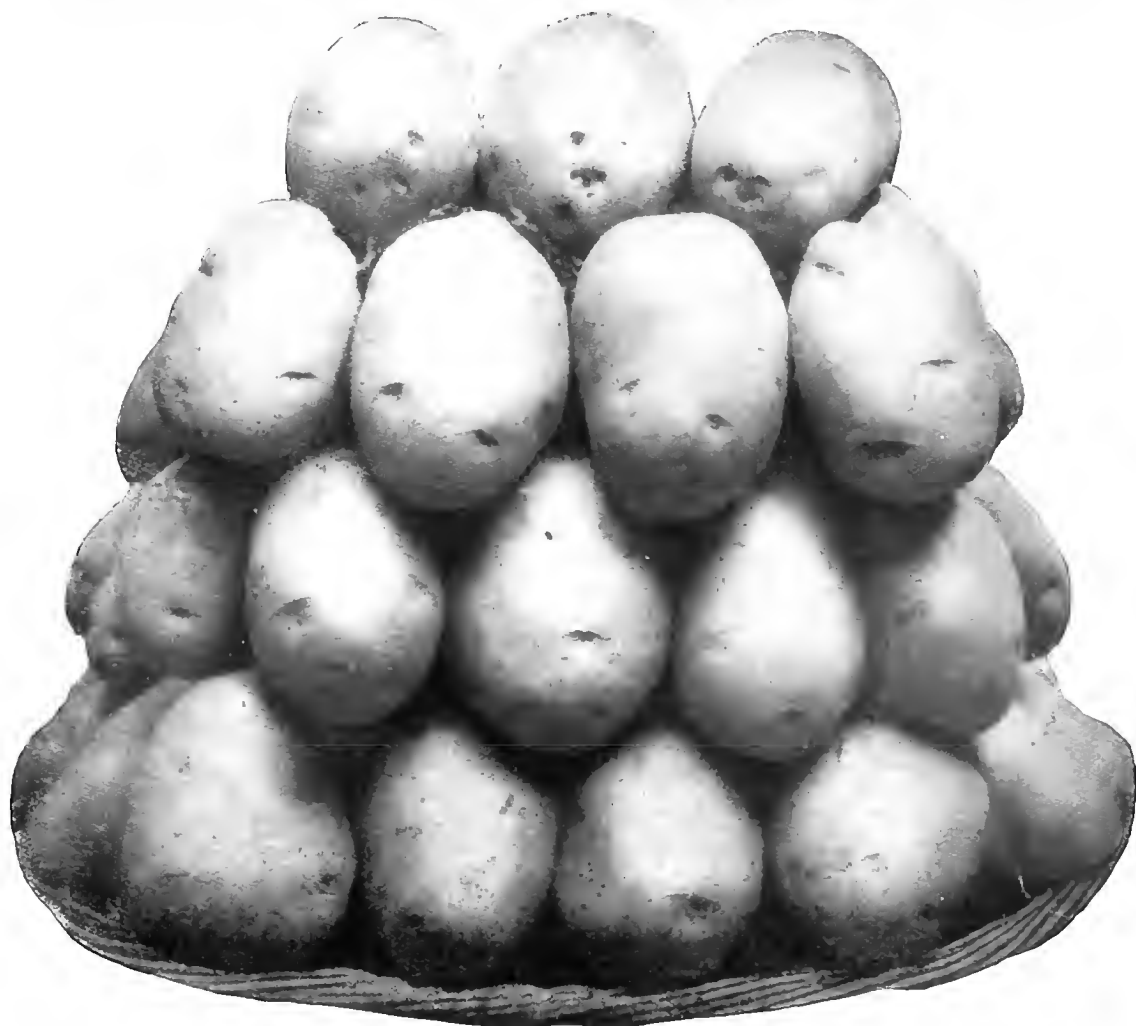
Main Crop (*Kidney, White Flesh*).—A useful Potato on all soils

Schoolmaster (*Round, Pale Flesh*).—Combining excellent quality, great productiveness, and general immunity from disease. Thrives well on all soils

Scottish Triumph (*Flat Oval, Pale Flesh*).—A good all-round Potato

Scotch Regents (*Round, Pale Flesh*).—This is a fine floury variety and has been re-selected by us for the past five years. It is very productive, strongly recommended...

	Per Bush. or ½-cwt.	Per Peck (14 lbs.)	Per Trial Box.
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Carters Monarch	14 0	4 0	1 6
Carters King of the Russets	14 0	4 0	1 6
Carters Goldfinder	12 0	3 6	1 6
King Edward VII.	12 0	3 6	1 6
Windsor Castle	12 0	3 6	1 6
Main Crop	8 6	2 6	1 0
Schoolmaster	14 0	4 0	1 6
Scottish Triumph	8 6	2 6	1 0
Scotch Regents	12 0	3 6	1 6



Carters Long Keeper (*Oval, Pale Yellow-fleshed*) (see Photograph above).—THE BEST MAINCROP POTATO FOR GENERAL USE. AWARD OF MERIT, ROYAL HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY. This is a splendid variety, and its valuable qualities are greatly appreciated by all who grow this choice Potato. We cannot do better than quote the remarks below for some of its chief characteristics.

Price 14s. per bushel or $\frac{1}{2}$ cwt. ; 4s. per peck ; 1s. 6d. per trial box.

The Winner of the 50 Guinea Challenge Cup and the Llewelyn Cup says :—“ A splendid cropper, cooking qualities excellent, quite free from disease.”

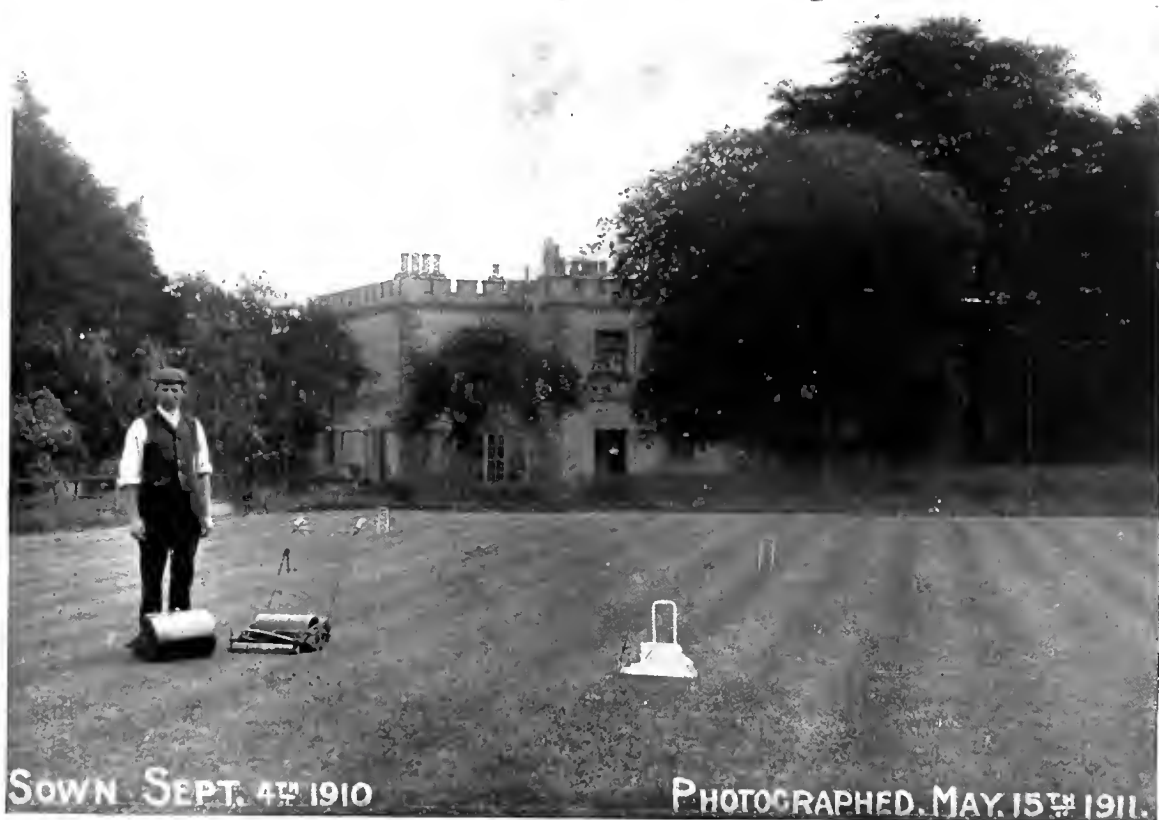
Mr. W. A. COOK, F.R.H.S., says :—“ *Long Keeper* is the best we have tried from anyone ; a good cropper and free from disease, first-class cooking quality ; a potato come to stay.”

At the Royal Horticultural Society's Show, the *Morning Post*, *Journal of Horticulture*, *Gardeners' Magazine*, and the *Gentlewoman*, says :—“ *Long Keeper* was especially good amongst the 160 varieties exhibited.”

	Per Bush or $\frac{1}{2}$ cwt. s. d.	Per Peck (14 lbs.) s. d.	Per Trial Box. s. d.
Imperator (Re-selected).—(<i>Oval, Pale Yellow Flesh</i>).—A large keeping Potato and a heavy cropper on all soils	8 6	2 6	1 0
Carters Magnum Bonum (<i>Kidney, Pale Yellow Flesh</i>).—A re-selected stock of this popular late Kidney Potato	8 6	2 6	1 0
Up-to-Date (<i>Oval Shape, Pale Flesh</i>).—This is a robust-growing Scotch Potato, almost round, with a pale coloured flesh. It is an enormous cropper and adapted for cultivation in large areas	8 6	2 6	1 0
The Factor (<i>Oval, Pale Flesh</i>).—A new late variety with high credentials	10 0	3 0	1 0

Carters Address for all
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CARTERS GRASS SEEDS.



Carters Grass Seeds are used on the estates of
HIS MAJESTY THE KING at WINDSOR and SANDRINGHAM,
 and also supplied to
Lord's, The Oval, All-England Tennis Grounds, Ascot and
Newmarket Race Courses, and all the leading Golf Clubs
at Home and Abroad.



Grass Seeds prescribed for all Soils and Purposes.

For Lawns.

Cricket Grounds.
 Croquet Lawns.
 Shaded Lawns.
 Town Lawns.

For Tennis Courts.

Bowling Greens.
 Football Fields.
 Polo Grounds.
 Racecourses.

For Putting Greens.

Golf Courses.
 Archery Grounds.
 Cricket Pitches.
 Recreation Grounds.

CARTERS FINEST GRASS SEEDS.

As supplied to His Majesty's Golf Grounds, Lawns, and other parts of the Royal Estates. A mixture of the very fine bladed species, which, if sown, according to our recommendations, should produce a close thick turf on all good soils, and is especially suitable for all games in which the ball is required to run true.

Price **35s.** per bushel of 25 lbs.; **19s.** per half-bushel; **1s. 9d.** per lb.

CARTERS FINE GRASS SEEDS.

A prescription adapted for cold and ungenerous soils, or in any confined situation. A very useful mixture, but of coarser texture than above.

Price **30s.** per bushel of 25 lbs.; **16s.** per half-bushel; **1s. 6d.** per lb.

Hints when Ordering Grass Seeds. See page 129.

Carters Complete Grass Manures, page 132.

Carters Worm Killer, pages 134 and 135.

CARTERS GRASS SEEDS FOR GOLF LINKS.

(See pages 130 and 131.)

Under the "Carter System" a golfing turf of the finest description, similar to that found on the best sea-side links, can be produced almost anywhere and on almost any class of soil in from six to twelve months, and as golf courses are judged to a large extent by the nature of their turf, this is a point of the utmost importance to those interested in the formation of new courses.

During the last ten years nearly 100 new or enlarged Golf Courses have been sown with Carters Tested Grass Seeds.

Our price for Grass Seeds for "through the green" ranges from **21s. 6d.** per bushel to **35s.** per bushel, according to the texture of grass desired and the time the links are required for play.

Carters Grass Seeds for Recreation Grounds, Race Courses, and other open Spaces.

We prepare mixtures of hard-wearing grass suitable for this purpose at prices varying from **21s. 6d.** to **30s.** per bushel.

HINTS WHEN ORDERING GRASS SEEDS.

We would respectfully ask our customers, when ordering grass seeds, to give as much information as possible on the following questions; this will assist us in supplying the most suitable mixture for the particular purpose for which the seed is required.

What is the nature of the soil: heavy, medium, or light? Purpose for which the lawn is required:

Pleasure lawn.
Croquet.
Tennis.
Putting greens.

Golf courses "thro' the green."
Bowling greens.
Cricket pitches or outfield.
Polo ground.

Recreation grounds.
Football fields.
Shaded lawns or under trees.
Town lawns.

Archery grounds.
Race courses, etc.

Is the seed required for a new lawn? If so, send a sample of soil.

Is the seed required for renovating an old lawn? If so, send a sample of existing turf.

Is the ground in good heart?

Do you intend to manure the ground? If so, can you procure any well rotted farm or stable manure?

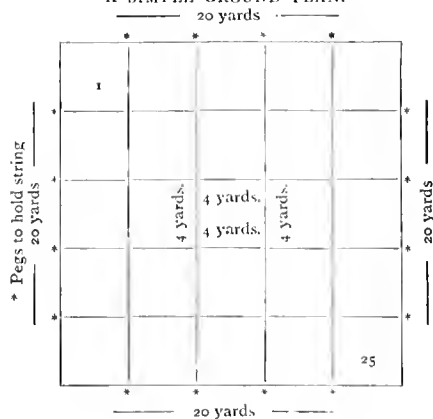
Is the ground well drained? Is water laid on? Quality of seed required.

NOTES.—The finest mixture (at 35s. per bushel) is a term used to describe the texture of the turf when grown, and is the very best for pleasure lawns, and lawns devoted to games of skill where the ball is required to run accurately, and for every purpose when best results are required.

The fine mixture (at 30s. per bushel) will also produce a first class turf of coarser texture than the finest; it is most reliable but is intended for ground which may not be worth the heavier expenditure.

To ascertain the nature of the soil, take a handful of damp soil and compress it in the hand, if it binds tightly it can be called a heavy soil, if it binds but not tightly it is a medium soil, if it does not bind at all it is a light soil.

A SIMPLE GROUND PLAN.



SOWING GRASS SEEDS.

A PLOT 20 YARDS EACH WAY, OR 400 SQUARE YARDS, READY FOR SOWING, MARKED OUT WITH STRING INTO 25 SQUARES OF 4 YARDS EACH WAY, OR 16 SQUARE YARDS.

QUANTITY OF SEED REQUIRED.

One bushel of seeds weighs 25 pounds. The ground should be divided into squares of 4 yards each way, or 16 square yards (see Diagram), and the seed required for that area should not be less than 1 pound, which is at the rate of 1 bushel of 25 pounds to an area of 20 yards each way, or 400 square yards.

For renovating purposes, from 4 to 12 lbs. would be required, according to the state of the existing turf for the above area 20 yards square or 400 square yards.

DO YOU KNOW THE CARTER SYSTEM?

Of making Golf Courses, Lawns, &c. Write for **Carters Practical Green Keeper**, which deals with the making and renovation of grassy lands, post free.

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THE CARTER SYSTEM OF TURF PRODUCTION.



FIRST RECORD.

SUNNINGDALE—FROM HEATHER TO TURF IN 12 MONTHS—BY THE CARTER SYSTEM.

Sunningdale was turned from a waste of heather into a first-class golf course by the "Carter" System in twelve months—The First Golf Course produced entirely from seed. Willie Park, jun., the well-known golf course architect, was responsible for the planning and construction.



SECOND RECORD.

WALTON HEATH—FROM PLOUGH TO PLAY IN 9 MONTHS BY THE CARTER SYSTEM.

WALTON HEATH GOLF CLUB, SURREY, 21st December, 1903.

... You have converted a waste of heath and furze into a first-class 18-hole golf links, and produced a splendid turf "through the green" and putting greens, which promise to rank with the best in the country. (Signed) W. HERBERT FOWLER.



THIRD RECORD.

COOMBE HILL—FROM WOODED WASTE TO TURF IN 6 MONTHS—BY THE CARTER SYSTEM.

DEAR SIR,

COOMBE HILL GOLF CLUB, MALDEN, January 23rd, 1911.

We take this opportunity of saying how very pleased we are with the extremely fine quality of the turf with which you have provided us at Coombe, both for the course and greens, and for the very thorough manner in which you carried out the sowing.—
Yours truly, (Signed) GEO. ABERCROMBY, Secretary.



FOURTH RECORD. THE CARTER SYSTEM IN AMERICA.

GENTLEMEN,
I sowed Carters Putting Green Mixture between the 4th and 8th of September, 1909, cut the grass twenty days later, and opened the greens for playing five weeks after seeding.—Yours very truly,
BELMONT SPRING COUNTRY CLUB, WAVERLEY, MASS, U.S.A.
(Signed) F. C. PICKERING, *Greenkeeper*.



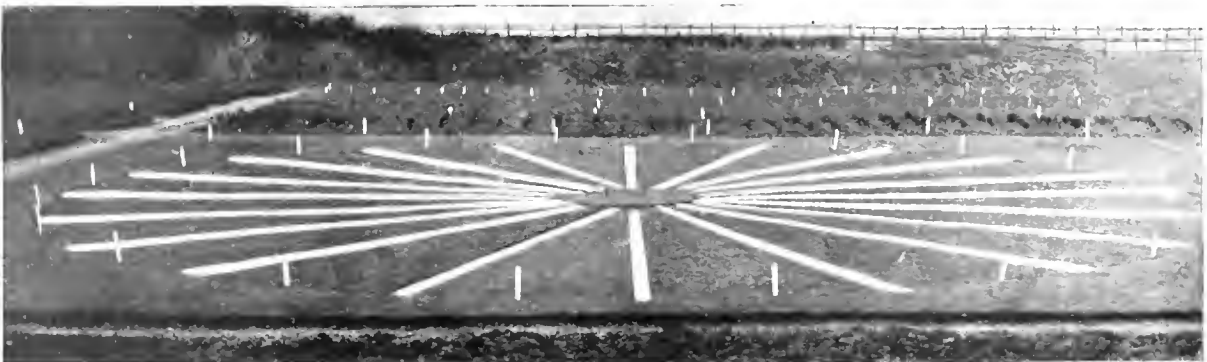
FIFTH RECORD. THE CARTER SYSTEM IN FRANCE.

J. R. HAY GORDON, Esq.,
DEAR SIR,

THE GRAND CONTINENTAL HOTEL, ROME, April 7th, 1911.

We, the undersigned, desire to tender to the Committee of the Nice Golf Club and yourself our sincere thanks for the kindness and hospitality shown to us during our recent visit, a visit we thoroughly enjoyed. Three of us visiting the links again after an absence of four years, and reviewing the great progress that they have made, we were specially struck with the excellence of the greens. We should like to say that the putting greens you possess reflect the highest credit on those responsible for them. The turf upon them is firmly knit, uniformly good, and of splendid texture; in fact, it is rarely that one has the pleasure of putting over a better or more true surface.

(Signed) JAMES BRAID, A. MASSY, J. H. TAYLOR, J. G. SHERLOCK.



Testing various Varieties of Grass for Putting Greens, Lawns, &c. Each section being a different variety of Grass.

CARTERS COMPLETE GRASS MANURES.

For use in Spring and Autumn.

THEIR ACTION AND HOW TO USE THEM.

Carters Complete Grass Manure (No. 1) is, as its name implies, a complete grass food, that is to say, it contains all that is necessary for the growth of fine grasses, but it does not force or burn them.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE.

When making a new lawn or green, spread the manure evenly over the surface at the rate of 2 ozs. per square yard, and rake it in. The seed can be sown immediately afterwards, but it is better to allow a few days to elapse between the two operations.

For renovating a lawn, spread the manure evenly over the ground at the rate of 2 ozs. per square yard, and rake it in whilst preparing the surface for the seed.

When used to improve existing turf, sow at the rate of 2 ozs. per square yard, mixing the manure with two or three times its own bulk of sifted soil when treating light sandy soils, or sharp sand—sea sand preferred—when treating heavy soils. Prices :—

Tin.	7 lb.	14 lb.	28 lb.	56 lb.	1 cwt.	5 cwts.	10 cwts.	15 cwts.	1 ton.
1/-	2/6	4/6	7/6	12/6	20/-	£4 15s.	£9	£12 15s.	£16.

Carters Anticlover Manure (No. 2) is also a complete grass food; it is slightly quicker in action than the above, and its constituents are so balanced that it effectively checks the growth of clover, and for this reason it is very valuable for dressing putting greens, tennis courts, croquet lawns, and other lawns in which the growth of clover is objectionable.

DIRECTIONS FOR USE.

Sow at the rate of 2 ozs. per square yard, mixing the manure with two or three times its own bulk of sifted soil when treating light sandy soils, or sharp sand—sea sand preferred—when treating heavy soils. Prices :—

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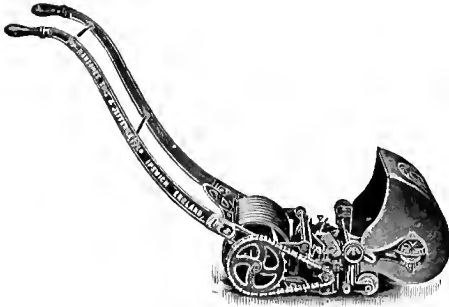
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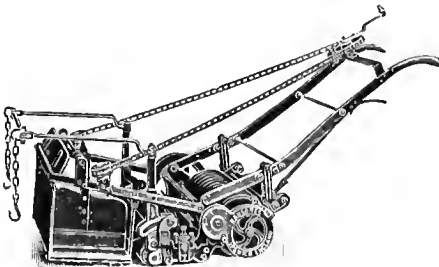
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1 oz. **Parsnip**, Carters Maltese.
2 ozs. **Radish**, Long and Turnip.
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2 oz. „ „	Flower Seeds for Shrubberies and Children's Gardens.	Bright Sunflower.	Star Zinnia.
6 choice selected varieties,	Hardy Perennials,	Single Dahlia, mixed.	Marguerites, &c.
	including—	3 best selected varieties, Everlasting Flowers, most suitable for growing on for Winter Bouquets, &c.	
Wallflower.	Sweet William.	3 best selected varieties, Ornamental Grasses, most suitable for growing on for Winter Bouquets, &c.	
Delphinium.	Spotted Foxglove, &c.	6 best selected varieties, Ornamental-foliaged Plants, including—	
6 choice selected varieties,	Greenhouse Seeds	Ricinus.	Wigandia.
	including—	Canna, mixed.	Perilla, &c.
Calceolaria.	Primula.		
Cineraria.	Maurandya, &c.		

CARTERS COMPLETE 31s. 6d. BOX OF FLOWER SEEDS.

With proportionately increased quantities and varieties.

For particulars of larger Boxes, see opposite page.

Carters Seedsmen by Appointment to His Majesty the King—High Holborn, London.

42/- CARTERS COMPLETE BOX OF FLOWER SEEDS.

(Free by Post or Rail.)

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|--------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------------------|----|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| 12 | choicest varieties | Pæony-flowered Aster. | 45 | beautiful Hardy and Half-hardy Annuals, Æsthetics, &c., including— |
| 8 | " " | Dwarf Chrysanthemum Aster | | Nasturtium, Scarlet King. Viscaria cardinalis. |
| 6 | " " | Prize Comet Aster. | | Nemophila insignis. Silene compacta. |
| 16 | " " | Dwarf Stock. | | Choice Balsam. Convolvulus major. |
| 12 | " " | Intermediate Stock. | | Gaillardia hybrida. Mixed Petunia. |
| 6 | " " | Double Portulaca. | | Phlox Drummondii. Salpiglossis, mixed. |
| 10 | " " | Stock-flowered Larkspur. | | Bright Sunflower. Star Zinnia. |
| 8 | " " | Challenger Balsam. | | Single Dahlia, mixed. Marguerites, &c. |
| 6 | " " | Double German Wallflower | 6 | best selected varieties, Ornamental Grasses, suitable for growing on for Winter Bouquets, &c. |
| 6 oz. | best mixed | Sweet Peas. | 6 | finest selected varieties, Hardy Climbers. |
| 1 oz. | new large-flowered | " mixed. | 12 | choice selected varieties, Hardy Perennials, including— |
| 1 oz. | " " | Crimson Giant Mignonette. | | Wallflower, mixed. Delphinium, mixed. |
| 1 pkt. | " " | Hybrid Spiral Mignonette. | | Alyssum compactum. Sweet William, mixed. |
| 2 oz. | best mixed var. | Tom Thumb Nasturtium. | | Snapdragon, mixed. Spotted Foxglove, &c. |
| 2 oz. | " " | Climbing Nasturtium. | 6 | choice selected varieties, Greenhouse Seeds, including— |
| 4 oz. | " " | Flower Seeds for Shrubberies and Children's Gardens. | | Calceolaria. Primula. |
| | | | | Cineraria. Maurandya, &c. |
| 6 | best selected varieties, Everlasting Flowers, suitable for growing on for Church Decoration, &c. | | 6 | best selected varieties, Ornamental-foliaged Plants, including— |
| | | | | Ricinus, var. Canna, &c. |
| | | | 6 | finest selected varieties, Seeds for Rockwork. |

63/- CARTERS COMPLETE BOX OF FLOWER SEEDS.

With proportionately increased quantities and varieties to the above Collection.

Complete list of contents of these Boxes will be sent on application.

CARTERS COLLECTIONS OF VARIOUS POPULAR FLOWERS.

HARDY ANNUALS.				s.	d.
25	finest selected varieties, separate	...	...	5	0
12	" " " "	...	...	2	6
HALF-HARDY ANNUALS.					
25	finest selected varieties, separate	...	...	7	6
12	" " " "	...	...	3	6
HARDY PERENNIALS.					
25	finest selected varieties, separate	...	...	6	6
12	" " " "	...	...	3	0
HARDY FLOWERS FOR ROCKWORK.					
12	finest selected varieties, separate	...	...	3	0
6	" " " "	...	...	1	9
GREENHOUSE SEEDS.					
12	choice selected varieties, separate, including Calceolaria and Primula	...	...	10	6
12	choice selected varieties, separate, omitting Calceolaria, Cineraria, and Primula	...	...	5	0
6	choice selected varieties, separate, omitting Calceolaria, Cineraria, and Primula	...	...	2	6
FLOWERING HARDY CLIMBERS.				s.	d.
12	finest varieties, separate...	...	...	3	0
6	" " " " " "	...	...	1	9
SELECTED FLOWERS FOR CUT BLOOMS.					
12	beautiful varieties	...	...	5	0
6	" " " "	...	...	2	6
ORNAMENTAL GRASSES FOR WINTER BOUQUETS.					
12	fine selected varieties, separate	...	...	3	6
6	" " " " " "	...	...	2	0
EVERLASTING FLOWERS (Immortelles).					
12	splendid varieties, separate	...	...	3	0
6	" " " " " "	...	...	1	9
SWEET-SCENTED FLOWERS.					
12	selected varieties, separate	...	...	3	0
6	" " " " " "	...	...	1	9

CARTERS STANDARD FLOWER SEEDS.

All other Seeds not mentioned in this Catalogue can be supplied.

NOTE.—In giving orders *it is preferable to mention the numbers without the names*; but, as the numbers are changed every year, it is absolutely necessary to give the date of the Catalogue from which the numbers are taken, **Ex Catalogue 1912.**

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CARTERS AESTHETIC OR DECORATIVE FLOWERS.

FOR CUT BLOOMS.

Culture.—Sow in spring and plant out as soon as the seedlings are strong enough, or sow in the place where they are intended to flower, and thin out as may be necessary. Flowers that are not cut should be taken off when they wither, and fresh ones will quickly take their place. Sow also in September for spring flowers.



WHITE MARGUERITE.

No. Per packet—s. d.

88. **Blue Marguerite** (Perennial).—Hardy, admirable for cutting. 1½ foot ... 6d. & 1 0

89. **White Marguerite** (*see Photograph*) (Perennial).—Dwarf habit. 1½ foot ... 6d. & 1 0

90. **Yellow Marguerite** (Perennial).—Compact growing. 1½ foot ... 6d. & 1 0

91. **Blood Marguerite** (Annual).—Character of the favourite single Dahlia. 1½ foot ... 6d. & 1 0

92. **Orange Marguerite** (Annual).—Excellent pot plant. 1 foot ... 6d. & 1 0

93. **Blue Cornflower** (Annual).—Cut flower; profuse bloomer. 1½ foot. (*See also page 183*) ... 6d. & 1 0

94. **Golden Sunset** (Perennial, flowering the first season).—Best of the Coreopsis tribe. 2 feet ... 6d. & 1 0

- No. 95. **Crimson Spray** (Perennial).—Tribe of Saxifrages; crimson scarlet. 1 foot ... 1s. & 2 6
- „ 96. **Alpine Poppy** (Perennial).—Neat dwarf habit, for pots or bouquets; mixed colours. 1 foot ... 6d. & 1 0
- „ 97. **Caucasian Beauty** (Perennial).—For the rockery or mixed border; colour lavender blue; a cut flower. 1½ foot ... 6d. & 1 0
- „ 98. **Pennant Pink** (Perennial, flowering the first season).—An importation from Japan, long petals deeply lacinated; colour rich and varied; continuous bloomer. 1 foot ... 6d. & 1 0
- „ 99. **Silver Thistle** (Perennial).—Unique ornament to the mixed border; bright metallic lustre. 2½ feet ... 6d. & 1 0

No. 100. **Complete Collection of above** (Nos. 88 to 99), price 5s. 6d.

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CARTERS DWARF ALYSSUM SNOW CARPET (see below).

Alyssum.—For spring or summer. Good pot or rockery plants. Easily grown.

Per packet—s. d.

- No. 149. **Carters Snow Carpet**. Annual. One of the most valuable dwarf bedding plants of modern introduction. Perfectly hardy. If transplanted a foot apart the plants spread out their side branches along the ground till they meet, becoming covered with pure white flowers, giving the effect of a snow carpet. Flowers through the summer and autumn until cut off by frosts. 4 inches ... 3d., 6d., & 1 0
 „ 150. **Maritimum Sweet Alyssum**. White. Annual. 9 inches ... 3d. & 0 6
 „ 151. **Saxatile sulphureum**. New shade. Perennial. 9 inches ... 6d. & 1 0
 „ 152. **Saxatile compactum**. Bright yellow. Hardy perennial for rockwork. 6 inches ... 3d., 6d., & 1 0

Alonsoa.—Treat as half-hardy annual; pretty plants for flower borders.

- No. 147. **Warszewiczii**. Bright scarlet. 2 feet ... 0 6

Alstræmeria (PERUVIAN LILY).—Perennial. Sow in gentle heat early in spring, and prick off.

- No. 148. **Carters choice mixed**. 1½ foot ... 6d. & 1 0

Amaranthus.—Half hardy annuals with very ornamental foliage. Sow in March in gentle heat.

- No. 153. **Melancholicus ruber**. Maroon. 1 foot. Hardy ... 3d. & 0 6

- „ 154. **Princess of Wales**. Brilliant colour; sub-tropical. 3 feet ... 0 6

- „ 155. **Salicifolius**. Long, graceful, willow-like foliage, tinted crimson and gold. 3 feet ... 0 6

- „ 156. **Tricolor**. Sub-tropical; colours scarlet, crimson, and gold. 2 feet ... 0 6

Amaryllis.—Stove and warm greenhouse bulbous plant.

- No. 1538. **Extra choice Hybrids**, cross fertilised, and saved from one of the finest collections of rich and varied colours, fine form and substance ... 2 6

Ambrosia Mexicana.

- No. 157. Delicate perfumed foliage; hardy annual. 1 foot ... 0 3

Ammobium Alatum.—Half-hardy annual of easy culture. Sow in spring in borders.

- No. 629. **White Everlasting**. 2 feet. (See page 196) 0 3

Ampelopsis (THE VIRGINIAN CREEPER).—For covering walls and fences. (See page 272.)

Anagallis (PIMPERNEL). An old-fashioned half-hardy annual. Will flower all the season in warm soils, or may be grown in pots for greenhouse decoration.

- No. 158. **Large Blue**. Ultramarine. 6 inches ... 0 6

Anchusa (BUGLOSS).—Hardy perennials, of easy culture. Sow in spring, and transplant.

- No. 159. **Capensis** (Cape Forget-me-not.) Blue. 1½ foot ... 0 6

- „ 160. **Italica**. Brilliant blue. 3 feet ... 0 3

- „ 1498. **Dropmore Variety**. A very fine variety with heads of beautiful flowers of a lovely gentian-blue shade. Excellent for cutting. 4 feet ... 6d. & 1 0

Anemone (WIND FLOWER).—These beautiful spring and autumn flowers are perfectly hardy. Nos. 161 and 162 are bulbous, and 163 and 164 are herbaceous perennials. Seed of the tuberous varieties, should be sown thinly in light soil in spring and remain in seed bed until after flowering. We can also supply Nos. 161 and 162 in dry bulbs and Nos. 163 and 164 in rooted plants. *Anemone Roots* see page 269.

- No. 161. **St. Brigid**. Double and Semi-double, easily grown from seed 6d., 1s., & 1 6

- „ 162. **Coronaria** (POPPY ANEMONE). Beautiful single large flowered varieties 0 6

- „ 163. **Japonica**. Hardy perennial, flowering in September; soft rose. 2 feet ... 0 6

- „ 164. **Japonica Honorine Joubert**. The best white for cutting. 2 feet ... 1 0



MUCH REDUCED PHOTO OF

CARTERS LONG-SPURRED AQUILEGIA.

Hardy perennials of great beauty and utility in borders, where they will bloom freely when established, early in the summer. The long-spurred type, of which we make a speciality, gives elegant cut flowers. We have now included some new and effective colours. Sow seeds under cover in February for transplanting in spring to a border, when, if the summer is favourable, they may bloom in autumn. If sown in summer sturdy plants will be ready by autumn for transplanting to the border to flower next May and June.

No. 191.	Carters Long-Spurred Blue (CERULEA). This beautiful large flowered free-blooming	Per packet	s. d.
	variety is most valuable for cutting. 2 feet ... ..	... 6d. &	1 0
„ 192.	Carters Long-Spurred Single Golden (CHRYSANTHA). 2 feet ... ..	... 6d. &	1 0
„ 193.	Carters Long-Spurred Double Golden (CHRYSANTHA DOUBLE). 2 feet ... ..	... 1	0
„ 194.	Carters Long-Spurred White. In some cases the spurs are slightly shaded with blue. 2 feet	6d. &	1 0
„ 183.	Carters Choicest All Colours mixed (Long-Spurred)	6d., 1s., &	2 6
„ 190.	Californica hybrida. Pure yellow and scarlet. 2½ feet ... ..	... 6d. &	1 0
„ 194.	Glandulosa. Blue and white. 1 foot 6d. &	1 0
„ 195.	Skinneri. Scarlet, tipped with green. 2 feet 6d. &	1 0

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Carters Large-flowered Intermediate Antirrhinum.

This is undoubtedly the finest form, both for bedding and ribbon borders, the dense, well-formed trusses contrasting beautifully with the deep green foliage. We recommend the following varieties as representing the highest forms of this useful plant, now so greatly in vogue.

The trusses are excellent for cutting, and being slightly curved lend themselves to any decorative arrangement. Height, 1 to 1½ foot.

- | | Per packet—s. d. | | Per packet—s. d. |
|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------|--------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|------------------|
| No. 188. Carters Gold Crest (new). —Flowers soft rose-pink, tinged salmon, with golden orange lip. We predict a great future for this remarkably brilliant variety as a bedding plant | 1 0 | No. 176. Carters Pink. —Quite a charming variety. Delicate pink with white throat | 6d. & 1 0 |
| „ 51 Carters Scarlet Flame (new). —A self brilliant fiery scarlet, hence the name we have given to it. In the sunshine the spikes look flame-like in their brilliancy | 1 0 | „ 187. Black Prince. —Crimson, dark foliage | 6d. & 1 0 |
| „ 174 Carters Terra Cotta and Creamy Shades. —A charming strain of soft, delicate shades which are quite new in this section | 1 0 | „ 47. Carters Butterfly. —Large flowers of crimson purple, with pure white throat, 6d. & | 1 0 |
| „ 1457. Carters Fiery Belt. —A most striking colour, fiery brilliant orange-scarlet, with white throat. A small group of this flower enlivens the whole garden | 6d. & 1 0 | „ 175. Carters Gloriosa. —Flowers richest purple-carmine, relieved by pure white | 6d. & 1 0 |
| | | „ 48. Crimson, very rich colour | 6d. & 1 0 |
| | | „ 49. White, pure white flowers | 6d. & 1 0 |
| | | „ 50. Yellow, pale colour | 6d. & 1 0 |
| | | „ 52. Carters Intermediate Mixed. 1 to 1½ foot | 6d. & 1 0 |

ANTIRRHINUM or SNAPDRAGON—*Continued.*



Sow the seed in pans or boxes from February to March, and transplant to bed or border when large enough. If the withering flowers and seed pods are kept picked off, the plants will last in bloom for a long time, and continue again the following year. Can easily be grown as Annuals if sown in the open ground in April. Thin out about 12 inches apart.

Carters Dwarf Large-flowered.—A compact strain. Flowers variously coloured. This type makes a good pot plant, and is invaluable in borders or beds. Height, 6 inches. We offer the following colours in the Dwarf Section:—

	Per packet—s.	d.
No. 165. Crimson , fine rich colour ...	6d. &	1 0
„ 166. Rose , delicate shade ...	6d. &	1 0
„ 167. White , pure white flowers ...	6d. &	1 0
„ 168. Yellow , pale shade ...	6d. &	1 0
„ 169. Fiery red , yellow lip ...	6d. &	1 0
„ 170. Deep rose , white throat, yellow lip ...	6d. &	1 0
„ 171. Crimson , white throat, yellow lip ...	6d. &	1 0
„ 172. Striped , endless shades of all striped and blotched varieties ...	6d. &	1 0
No. 43. One packet each of above 8 varieties, price 3s.		

Carters Dwarf Large-flowered Antirrhinum.

No. 173. **Carters Dwarf, Choicest Mixed.** Height, 6 inches ... 6d., 1s., & 1 6

CARTERS TALL LARGE-FLOWERED ANTIRRHINUM.

This fine hardy perennial, which should be treated as an annual for bedding, has been greatly improved in size and colourings. Height 2 to 3 feet.

	Per packet—s.	d.		Per packet—s.	d.
No. 177. Crimson , rich colour ...	6d. &	1 0	No. 183. Crimson , white throat, yellow lip ...	6d. &	1 0
„ 178. Rose , delicate shade ...	6d. &	1 0	„ 184. Deep rose , white throat, yellow lip ...	6d. &	1 0
„ 179. White , long spikes of pure white flowers ...	6d. &	1 0	„ 44. One packet each of the 9 varieties, price 3s. 6d.		
„ 55. White , with rose lip, most delicate ...	6d. &	1 0	„ 186. Coral Red . A lovely coral ...	6d. &	1 0
„ 180. Striped , endless shades of all striped and blotched varieties ..	6d. &	1 0	„ 185. Carters Tall Large-flowered, mixed. 2 to 3 feet.		
„ 181. Yellow , pale shade ...	6d. &	1 0			
„ 182. Fiery red , yellow lip ...	6d. &	1 0			

Per oz., 2s.; 6d., 1s., & 1 5

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CARTERS RAY ASTER.

Quite a new type of the annual Aster. The flowers, which are very large, often 5 inches across, are produced on long stalks, and have prettily arranged quilled petals. Fine for cutting, as they last a week in water if cut before fully expanded. Height, $1\frac{1}{2}$ foot.

										Per packet—s. d.
No. 218.	Carters crushed strawberry.	This magnificent art shade should be in every garden								... 1s. & 1 6
„ 1515.	Carters crimson	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	... 1s. & 1 6
„ 276.	Carters dark blue	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	... 1s. & 1 6
„ 208.	Carters carmine rose	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6d., 1s., & 1 6
„ 209.	Carters pale mauve	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6d., 1s., & 1 6
„ 210.	Carters azure blue	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6d., 1s., & 1 6
„ 1458.	Carters pure white	6d., 1s., & 1 6

No. 42. **Carters Mixed Ray Aster**, 1s., 1s. 6d., and 2s. 6d. per packet.

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CARTERS VICTORIA ASTER.

A beautiful type. The blooms are large, profuse, and handsome, whether grown in beds or pots. It has a good habit, and makes a grand end of summer bedding plant.

Height, $1\frac{1}{2}$ foot.

			Per packet			s.	d.				Per packet			s.	d.
No. 211.	Carters dark blue	...	...	6d.	&	1	0	No. 216.	Carters sulphur yellow	...	...	6d.	&	1	0
„ 212.	Carters light blue	...	...	6d.	&	1	0	„ 217.	Carters white	...	...	6d.	&	1	0
„ 213.	Carters blue and white	...	...	6d.	&	1	0	„ 219.	Carters crimson	...	...	6d.	&	1	0
„ 214.	Carters rose	...	...	6d.	&	1	0	„ 220	Carters Splendid Mixture,						
„ 215.	Carters rose and white	...	...	6d.	&	1	0					6d., 1s., &	2	6	
No. 18. The Collection of Six selected colours (separate)											...	...	...	price	2s. 6d.
„ 21.	„	Twelve	„	„	„	„	„	„	„	„	„	„	4s. 6d.		

Carters Seedsmen by Appointment to His Majesty the King—High Holborn, London.



CARTERS LARGE SINGLE COMET ASTERS

WITH FLOWING PETALS.

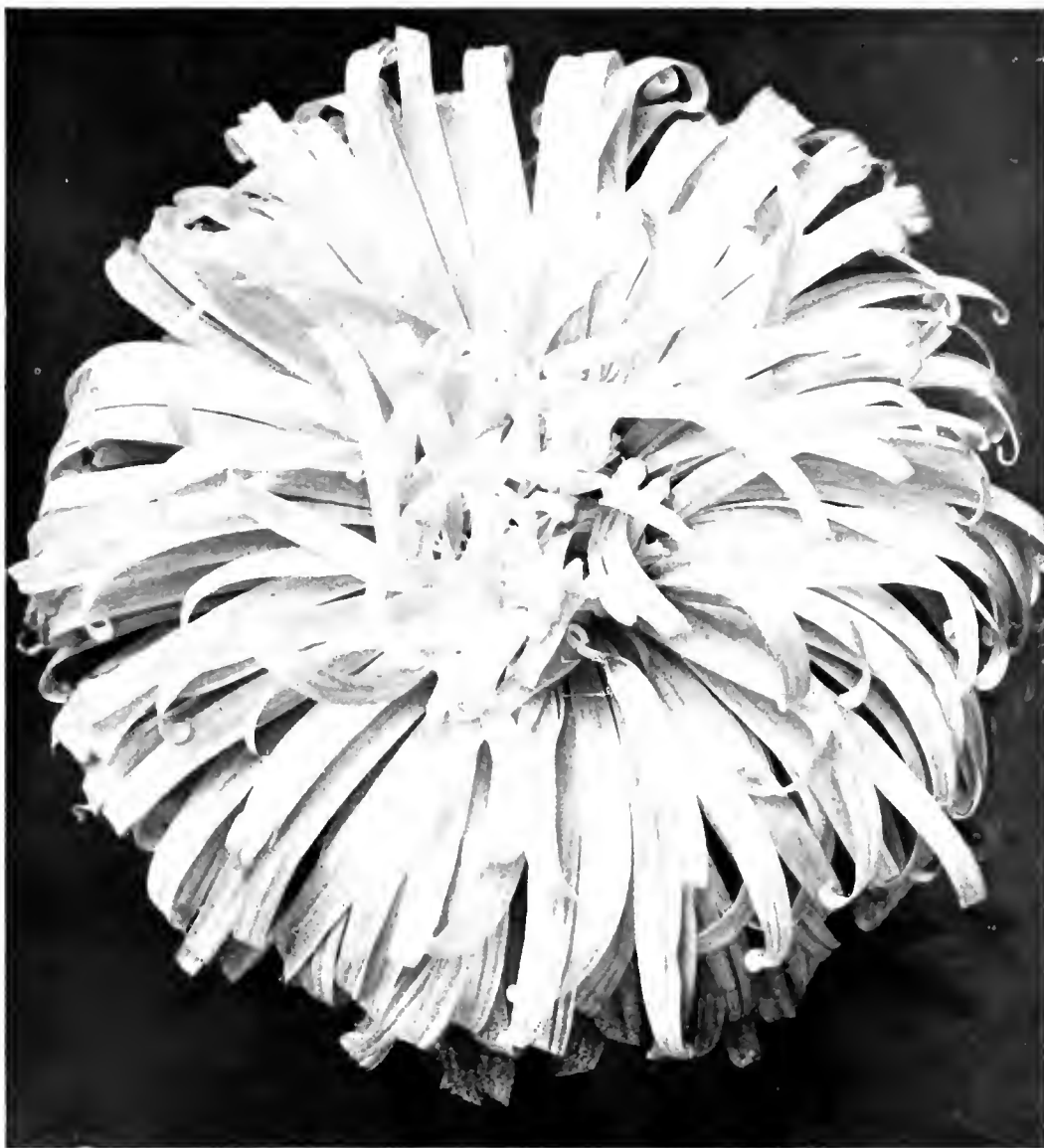
An improved type of the original single variety. There is quite a rage for these as cut flowers, for which purpose they are eminently adapted. In a bed, too, they make quite an effective display until autumn is well in. Height, about 1 foot.

		Per packet—s. d.	
No. 259.	Carters blue ...	... 6d. &	1 0
„ 260.	Carters white ...	... 6d. &	1 0
„ 261.	Carters rose ...	... 6d. &	1 0

		Per packet s. d.	
No. 262.	Carters Choicest, all colours mixed 6d., 1s., &	2 6

For other varieties, see following pages.

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CARTERS PLUME ASTERS.

We particularly recommend these varieties for cutting, the blooms, equalling *Chrysanthemums* in form, are borne on long stems and the three shades blend well together.

												Per packet—s. d.	
No. 228.	Carters white...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1s.,	1s. 6d., & 2 6
„ 229.	Carters blue	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1s.,	1s. 6d., & 2 6
„ 230.	Carters rose	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1s.,	1s. 6d., & 2 6
„ 231.	Carters Choice Mixed	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1s.,	1s. 6d., & 2 6

The most noble flowered Aster in cultivation. With flowing feathery petals; grand for cutting.
Height, about 18 inches.

We have measured blooms 6 inches across.

For other varieties, see following pages.

Carters Seedsmen by Appointment to His Majesty the King—High Holborn, London.

ASTER.

Since the introduction of this beautiful garden Flower into England by the late Mr. James Carter, about the year 1830, continuous skilful cultivation has produced the present developments in form and colour.

The whole group may be described as HALF-HARDY ANNUALS, the seeds being best sown under glass in early spring, and the seedlings pricked out into boxes or in frames for planting out or potting as the occasion requires, when they are ready about June.

The Aster in its various tall and dwarf forms makes a grand Bedding Plant, as its fullest beauty appears when the ordinary summer flowers are beginning to look rusty. The blooms are freely produced and last long, and are effective until spoilt by the frosts of autumn. The magnificent *Ray* varieties, see page 151; *White Plume*, see page 154; *Victoria*, see page 152, and the fashionable Single *Comet* types on page 153, together with the *Comet* and Chrysanthemum-flowered types described below, should be largely grown in every garden.

Carters Sinensis Single.—A free growing single Aster, suitable for vases and house decoration.

Height, 18 inches.

				Per packet—s. d.					Per packet—s. d.
No. 1532.	Blue	...	...	...	No. 1534.	Pink	...	...	...
" 1533.	Mauve	...	...	...	" 1535.	White	...	...	...
" 256.	Carters Extra Early Ostrich Feather. —A noble flower of the purest white, long curved flowing petals, grand for exhibition or table; blossoms seven to eight inches across								
				...					Per packet, 1s. & 1s. 6d.

Comet.—A very attractive class, with flowing petals. For pot work or planting out. Fine for cutting.

Height, about 1½ foot.

				Per packet—s. d.					Per packet—s. d.
No. 232.	Pure white	...	...	...	No. 236.	Scarlet	...	...	...
" 233.	Rose and white	...	...	...	" 237.	Rose	...	...	...
" 234.	Crimson and white	...	...	...	" 238.	Light blue	...	...	...
" 235.	Blue and white	...	...	...	" 239.	Dark blue	...	...	...
" 4.	6 selected choice colours, separate								
" 240.	Carters Superb Mixture								
			
			

Improved Comet.—We again offer a limited quantity of a large-flowered selection from the last-named

				Per packet—s. d.					Per packet—s. d.
No. 241.	Azure blue	...	...	...	No. 245.	Pink	...	...	...
" 242.	Dark blue	...	...	...	" 246.	Pink and white	...	...	...
" 243.	Blue and white	...	...	...	" 247.	White	...	...	...
" 244.	Crimson	...	...	...	" 248.	Carters Choice Mixed, all colours	...	...	...
			
			

Chrysanthemum-Flowered.—A dwarf variety of great beauty, the Aster most used for bedding.

The petals are reflexed; effective as a pot plant. Height, 1 foot.

				Per packet—s. d.					Per packet—s. d.
No. 11.	8 superb selected colours, separate			...	No. 249.	Dark blue	...	...	...
" 12.	8 superb selected colours smaller packets			...	" 250.	Fiery Scarlet	...	...	...
" 255.	Carters Choice Mixture,			...	" 251.	Crimson	...	...	...
				...	" 252.	White	...	...	...
				...	" 253.	Purplish violet	...	...	...
				...	" 254.	Rose	...	...	...

Emperor.—A grand peony-flowered type; beautiful colours. 2 feet.

				Per packet—s. d.					Per packet—s. d.
No. 257.	Carters Choice mixed			...	No. 17.	6 colours, separate			...
			

Extra Early Midsummer Scarlet.—No. 258. Comes into bloom about middle of June; a striking pot plant. Per packet, 6d., 1s., and 1s. 6d.

CARTERS PÆONY-FLOWERED ASTER.

A very fine type for bedding, with large well-shaped bloms, the petals curving inwards; very hardy. Height, $1\frac{1}{2}$ foot.

No.		Per packet -s. d.
No. 9.	12 Superb Selected Colours, separate	5 0
„ 10.	12 „ „ „ smaller packets	2 6
„ 221.	Carters Choice Mixture	6d., 1s., & 2 6
„ 222.	Carters crimson	6d. & 1 0
„ 223.	Carters blue	6d. & 1 0
„ 224.	Carters rose	6d. & 1 0
„ 225.	Carters white	6d. & 1 0
„ 226.	Carters blue and white	6d. & 1 0
„ 227.	Carters rose and white	6d. & 1 0
„ 1516.	Carters brilliant rose	6d. & 1 0

Dwarf Bouquet.—Flowers in profuse bunches, fine for front row. Height about 9 inches.

No. 13.	12 choice select varieties, separate	5 0
„ 14.	12 choice select varieties, separate, smaller packets	2 6
„ 263.	Carters splendid mixture, all colours, 6d. &	1 0

Crown, or Cockade.—Very interesting. The outer petals of various colours, with centre of pure white. Height, $1\frac{1}{2}$ foot.

No. 16.	6 best selected colours, separate...	2 6
„ 264.	Carters splendid mixture, all colours 6d. &	1 0

Queen of the Market.—A very early class. Height, about 15 inches.

No. 7.	6 finest selected varieties, separate	2 6
„ 265.	Carters choice mixed, all colours 6d. &	1 0

Conqueror.

No. 266.	Fiery red. Early, incurved petals. Height, 1 foot	1s. & 2 6
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Flying Scud.

No. 267.	Snow white Early <i>Comet</i> type. Height, 15 inches	6d. & 1 0
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Quilled.—Improved strain.

No. 268.	Carters choice mixed	1 0
„ 269.	Chinese quilled, ordinary...	3d. & 0 6
„ 1.	12 colours, separate	2 6
„ 2.	12 colours, separate, smaller packets	1 6

Ball, or Jewel.—Incurved petals; for pots. Height, 1 foot.

No. 270.	Carters choice mixed	6d. & 1 0
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Carters Meteor.—Majority of blooms brilliantly striped with carmine, the lower petals deep maroon crimson; habit compact. Height, $1\frac{1}{2}$ foot.

No. 271...	1s. &	2 6
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Globe Quilled.

No. 3.	12 colours, separate	2 6
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Pyramidal.—Free growing, bushy varieties.

No. 272.	Carters choice mixed, all colours	6d. & 1 0
„ 5.	12 varieties, separate	2 6
„ 6.	12 varieties, separate, smaller packets	1 6

Pompone.

No. 273.	Carters choice mixed, all colours	6d. & 1 0
„ 15.	12 varieties, separate	2 6

Queen.—Free blooming. 1 foot.

No. 274.	Carters finest mixed, all colours	6d. & 1 0
„ 19.	6 colours, separate	2 6

Triumph.—Rich colours. 1 foot.

No. 275...	6d. &	1 0
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Porcupine.—Fluted petals. 12 inches.

No. 8.	6 select colours, separate...	2 6
„ 277.	Carters choice mixture, all colours	6d. & 1 0

Yellow Quilled.

No. 278.	Distinct and curious	6d. & 1 0
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Aster Perennial (MICHAELMAS DAISIES).

Hardy perennials. Sow in early spring in gentle heat, and prick off. We can also supply rooted plants. Send for List.

No. 279.	Carters splendid mixture. Height, various	6d., 1s., & 2 6
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Aubrietia.—Great favourites for spring bedders, rockeries, &c. Perennial, quite hardy. Bright perpetual bloomers. Easily raised from seed sown in spring. 4 inches.

No. 280.	Deltoidea. Blue...	0 6
„ 281.	Leichtlini. Rosy lilac	1 6
„ 282.	Græca. Pale mauve	0 6
„ 283.	Purpurea. Dark	0 6

Auricula.—Hardy perennial. Sow seeds in August or February, and pot off. This is one of the best and most interesting of the florist's flowers for amateurs' cultivation. It thrives well near large towns. The smallest seedlings frequently produce the choicest blooms.

No. 284.	Carters Prize Show. Saved from only the choicest	2 6
„ 285.	Alpine	1s. & 2 6

Azalea.—Evergreen greenhouse shrubs. Sow under glass in spring and pot off, using a compost of two-thirds peat with leaf mould.

No. 286.	Show (Ghent) varieties. Superb mixture. 3 feet	2 6
„ 287.	Pontica. Hardy garden species; excellent. 2 feet	1 0

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BARTONIA AUREA.

Bartonia.—Hardy annual. Showy, and very easily grown. Sow in open border in spring.

No. 298. Aurea. Rich golden colour. Per oz. 9d. ; per packet 3d. and 6d.

Per packet—s. d.

Bee Larkspur (DELPHINIUM). Of easy culture for large flower borders and wild gardens.

No. 299. Hardy perennial, bright blue. 3 feet ... 0 6

Beet, Ornamental.—For mixed beds or borders sub-tropical gardens. Sow under glass in spring, prick off and plant out in May.

No. 300. Flower Garden. Rich coloured variety 6d. & 1 0

Begonia.—Nos. 292 to 297. (See pages 158, 159, and 160.)

Bidens (BLACK DAHLIA).—Half-hardy annual for beds and borders.

No. 301. Atrosanguinea. Excellent for cutting. 1½ foot ... 0 6

Per packet—s. d.

Bignonia (TRUMPET FLOWER).—A fine climber for conservatory decoration and warm situations in the garden. Seeds must be sown in heat early in spring.

No. 302. Grandiflora. Large orange scarlet trumpet-shaped flowers ... 6d. & 1 0

„ 303. Radicans. Scarlet ... 6d. & 1 0

Brachycome.—See Daisy, Swan River, page 186.

Broom.—Sow in spring or summer for strong plants to flower the following year.

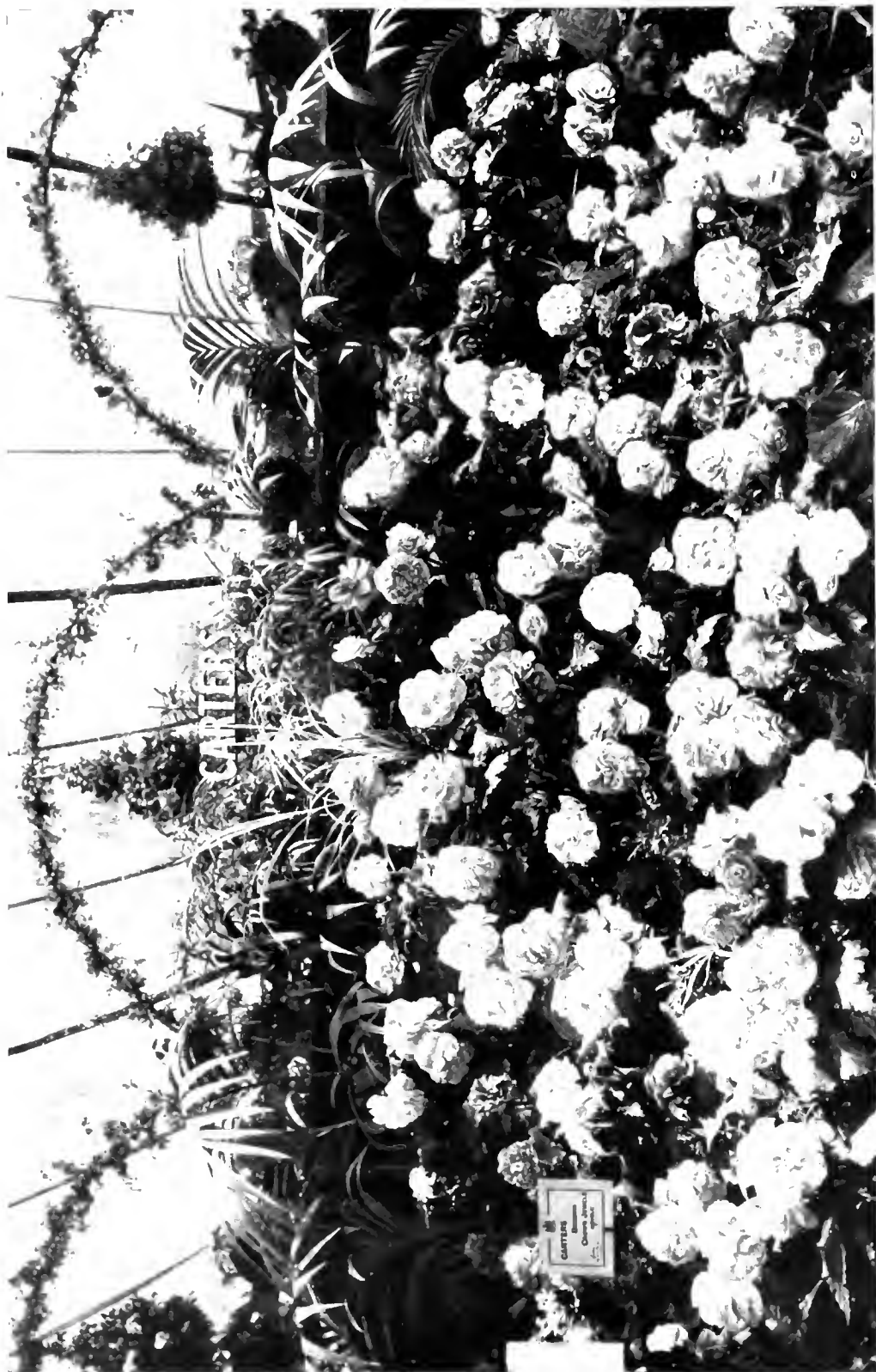
No. 1546. **Carters Crimson and Gold.** Excellent for cutting ... 1 0

„ 1545. **Carters White.** Free bloomer, long sprays of white flowers ... 1 0

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Mr. HECTOR, Head Gardener to F. HOBSON, Esq.

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TUBEROUS ROOTED.

Begonia, Carters Choicest Double.—This fine strain contains all the largest and best forms and most brilliant colours in cultivation. The Begonia is fast becoming a popular summer bedding plant, displacing the Geranium in many gardens.

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Begonia, Carters "Fringed" Double.—A production of great novelty and beauty.

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For Single Varieties, see page 160.

CARTERS "CROWN JEWELS" BEGONIA BULBS.

See page 262.

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CARTERS CHOICE SINGLE BEGONIA.

TUBEROUS ROOTED.

A VERY POPULAR PLANT FOR POTS AND BEDDING OUT.



Begonias are much superior to Geraniums for bedding, being quite unaffected by heavy rains, a moist atmosphere suiting them.

Begonia, Carters "Crown Jewels" Mixed Single, Including Fringed vars. as illustration

It is impossible to praise too much this superb strain of this highly-favoured flower; it is simply perfection, and needs but finished culture to attain pleasing results, alike for size and quality of the flowers, combined with brilliance in colours. Grand for bedding out.

Per packet - s. d.

No. 292

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Begonia Hybrida

Cristata.—Grand flowers, crested by the elongation and fimbriations of the petals; 70 per cent. true from seed.

No. 293 ... 2s. 6d. & 5 0

- No. 1481. **Begonia, Carters New Marbled Hybrids.**—New colourings of great beauty 2 6
 „ 1482. **Begonia, Carters Fiery Scarlet.**—Enormous blossoms producing a gorgeous display ... 2 6

BEDDING BEGONIAS—PERPETUAL FLOWERING, SMALL BLOOMS IN CLUSTERS. FIBROUS ROOTED.

Crimson Bedding.—Dwarf compact variety, flowers crimson, foliage deep blood red with metallic sheen.

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"Vernon" Tom Thumb.—A charming free flowering variety, blood scarlet flowers and bronze foliage.

No. 294 ... 1s. & 2 6

"Fairy Queen" Tom Thumb.—Colour delicate glistening rose, marked with white centre.

No. 295 ... 1s. & 2 6

Luminosa.—Flowers, fiery deep scarlet with satiny brownish red foliage.

No. 1544 ... 1s. & 2 6

The seed should be sown in heat at end of winter to produce strong flowering plants in the summer, in pans of very fine soil. Prick off the seedlings into pans and pot off later. Care should be used when sowing, as the seed is very fine. We can also supply tubers ready to start into growth in early spring. See page 262.

These Begonias are invaluable for growing in beds and groups; also for pot culture. They come into bloom very early, and last all the season.

For Double varieties, see page 159. For dry roots, see page 262.



**BALSAM,
CARTERS CHALLENGER.**

Matchless in form, substance, size, and colours.

**No. 288. Carters Challenger.
Superb Mixture.**

1s. and 1s. 6d. per packet.

No. 289. Carters Rose Queen.—

This beautiful variety produces enormous spikes of large double flowers of a delicate rose colour; excellent habit; very striking.

1s. and 1s. 6d. per packet.

							Per packet—s. d.	
No. 45.	12 superb selected colours. Separate	...	...	...	...	...	3	6
" 46.	8 " " " "	..	...	...	...	...	2	6
" 290.	Balsam, Camellia-flowered	...	...	...	...	...	1	0
" 291.	Balsam, Double mixed. For pots or borders	...	...	...	...	...	6d. &	1 0

Hints on Culture.—Balsams may be sown from the beginning to the middle of April in pans or on a slight hot bed, in a light rich loam compost, covering the seed about half an inch, keeping the soil moist, but not wet. When the plants have formed the second pair of leaves they may be transplanted, four round the edge of a 6-inch pot, and gradually hardened off for transplanting out of doors; or they may be planted in a cold pit, 4 inches apart, as near the glass as possible, giving more air as the season advances until June, when they may be turned into the open borders, the warmest situations being the most suitable. If for pot culture, they must be divided and transplanted into single pots, once or twice into larger pots, picking off the flowers in the earlier stages of growth to give greater vigour.

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CALENDULA COCKADE ORANGE.

CALENDULA (GARDEN MARIGOLD).—Annual. Very showy border plant, lasting the whole of the summer without any attention whatever beyond keeping the seed vessels picked off. Not at all particular to either soil or surroundings, and may be described as everybody's flower. Sow in spring where plants are intended to flower.



CANARY CREEPER.

		Per packet—s. d.	
No. 307.	Cockade Orange. Very large double flowers; showy colour. (See photograph.)	1 foot ...	6d. & 1 0
„ 308.	Meteor. Lemon yellow, orange stripes.	1½ foot ...	6d. & 1 0
„ 309.	Hybrida, or Pot. Single yellow.	1½ foot ...	3d. & 0 6
„ 310.	Officinalis. The single yellow cottage garden Marigold.	1 foot ...	3d. & 0 6
„ 311.	Pluvialis. Pure white.	1 foot ...	3d. & 0 6

CANARY CREEPER (*Tropæolum Peregrinum*).—Favourite climber for trellises, arbours, stumps of trees, &c.; very graceful, bright canary colour. Sow in pots in February and bring on under glass or sow in the open in spring. 10 feet.

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No. 312.	Canary Creeper. Half-hardy climbing annual ..	3d., 6d., &	1 0

		Per packet—s. d.	
CACALIA.			
No. 304.	Coccinia, the Scarlet Tassel flower. For mixed borders. Annual.	1 foot	0 3
CALAMPELIS (<i>ECREMOCARPUS</i>).—Climber for verandahs, trellises, &c.; handsome racemes of bloom. Sow in heat to bloom the first season out of doors.			
No. 305.	Scabra. Orange-scarlet; perennial.	10 feet ...	0 6

CALANDRINIA.—Perennial. Succulent plant. Sow in pans in spring, place in frame, and prick out in bed or border for summer blooming.

No. 306.	Umbellata. Vivid crimson; good rock plant	3d. & 0 6
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CALCEOLARIA. (See pages 164 and 165.)



CARTERS VICTORIA PRIZE CALCEOLARIA.

It is impossible by photography to give any adequate idea of the beauty of these magnificent flowers; the variations and markings are endless, the flowers are of large size and perfect in form, and the habit is unexceptionable. Our exhibit at the TEMPLE SHOW OF THE ROYAL HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY every May is always the theme of general admiration, and we have been awarded the highest honours for our displays.

Per packet—s. d.

No. 313. **Carters Victoria Prize, mixed, all colours** ... 2s. 6d., 3s. 6d., & 5 9



CARTERS VICTORIA PRIZE CALCEOLARIA GROWING FOR SEED AT OUR NURSERIES.

						Per packet—s. d.
No. 314.	Calceolaria, Golden Princess.	Exquisite yellow	...	...	...	2s. 6d., 3s. 6d., & 5 0
" 315.	Calceolaria, Mixed Colours	"	...	...	...	" " " 1 6
" 316.	Calceolaria, Hardy Shrubby.	From best varieties	...	...	...	" " " 2 6
" 317.	Calceolaria, New Dwarf Bedding	"	...	...	...	" " " 2 6

CARTERS MINIATURE CALCEOLARIA.

A curious small flowered type, quite unique in growth and character; makes a fine dwarf plant for stage fronts in Conservatory among other growths of similar habit.

						Per packet s. d.
No. 318.	Calceolaria, The Pigmy.	A dainty plant, with beautifully variegated blossoms.	Height, 5 inches	...	...	1s. & 2 6
No. 319.	Calceolaria, Tom Thumb.	Brilliant as the Victoria Prize varieties, but of dwarf habit	...	...	...	1s. & 2 6
No. 320.	Calceolaria, The Gem.	Similar to The Pigmy, but the flowers are more of one colour	1s. & 2 6

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CALLIOPSIS. (Coreopsis.)

Hardy annuals and perennials. All are universal favourites and useful for cut flowers. The annual varieties should be sown outdoors in April in the place they are intended to flower, or, for earliest work, may be sown under glass, and then pricked out.



CARTERS CALLIOPSIS.

ANNUAL VARIETIES.

Per packet—s. d.

Carters Tall.—2½ to 3 feet. Large flowered, branching habit; very useful for back of borders and cut flowers.

No. 321. **Crimson** ... 3d. & o 6

„ 322. **Crimson and gold** 3d. & o 6

Carters Dwarf.—15 to 18 inches, compact habit; useful for cut flowers.

No. 323. **Crimson** ... 3d. & o 6

„ 324. **Crimson and gold** 3d. & o 6

Carters Miniature.—9 to 15 inches. The shortest growing type; fine for edges.

No. 325. **Crimson marbled.**

The flowers show a groundwork of chocolate, flaked and marbled with gold, giving a most fantastic combination. Unfortunately some tall plants invariably appear amongst the dwarfs ... 3d. & o 6

No. 326. **Crimson and gold.**

Of all the dwarf varieties this is the most miniature ... 3d. & o 6

No. 327. **Carters Choice**

Mixed Tall Annual varieties, all sorts ... 3d., 6d., & 1 0

No. 328. **Carters Choice**

Mixed Dwarf Annual varieties, all sorts ... 3d., 6d., & 1 0

VARIOUS CALLIOPSIS.

No. 329. **Burridgi. Annual;** rich crimson and gold. 2½ to 3 feet

3d. & o 6

No. 330. **Bicolor** (Tinctoria).

Annual; very pretty. 2½ to 3 feet ... 3d. & o 6

No. 331. **Coronata. Perennial;** yellow, dark spot. 2 feet

3d. & o 6

No. 332. **Drummondii. Annual;** yellow, dark centre. 2 feet

3d. & o 6

No. 333. **Ackermanni. Annual;** very early; free bloomer. 2 feet ... 3d. & o 6

No. 334. **Grandiflora.** Grandest of all; large golden yellow; a hardy perennial. A lovely border plant both for effect and cutting. Much appreciated for house decoration when cut. 3 feet 3d., 6d., & 1 0

CAMPANULA.

Per packet—s. d.

- No. 336. **Persicifolia Alba (Giant White)**—(see Photograph) —This is the finest form of this most effective hardy border perennial. The graceful spikes render it invaluable for house decoration either when cut or as pot plants. June flowering. 3 feet ... 6d. & 1 0
- „ 335. **Mirabilis.** Magnificent, pyramidal, and bushy; pale blue. Perennial. 2 feet ... 1 6
- „ 337. **Carpatica.** Perennial; large blossoms; excellent pot plant; blue. 6 inches ... 0 6
- „ 338. **Carpatica alba.** Perennial; white variety... 0 6
- „ 339. **Grandiflora.** Perennial; purple violet. 1½ foot ... 0 6
- „ 340. **Grandiflora alba.** White; perennial. 1½ foot .. 0 6
- „ 341. **Pyramidalis.** Blue; perennial; charming pot plant. 4 feet ... 0 6
- „ 342. **Pyramidalis alba.** White variety; perennial ... 0 6
- „ 343. **Rotundifolia (Harebell).** Deep blue; perennial; the true wild species. 1 foot ... 1 0

The usual way is to sow the seeds in summer in a partially shaded spot in nice soil and keep them growing until strong enough to transplant or pot.

CALLIRHOE (POPPY MALLOW).—Very pretty half-hardy annual. Sow in spring, in gentle heat, and prick out.

- No. 344. **Digitata.** Rosy carmine; erect habit. 1½ foot ... 0 3

CALVARY CLOVER.—An interesting novelty. Raise in spring, and treat as an annual.

- No. 345. The leaves are singularly blood marked ... 6d. & 1 0

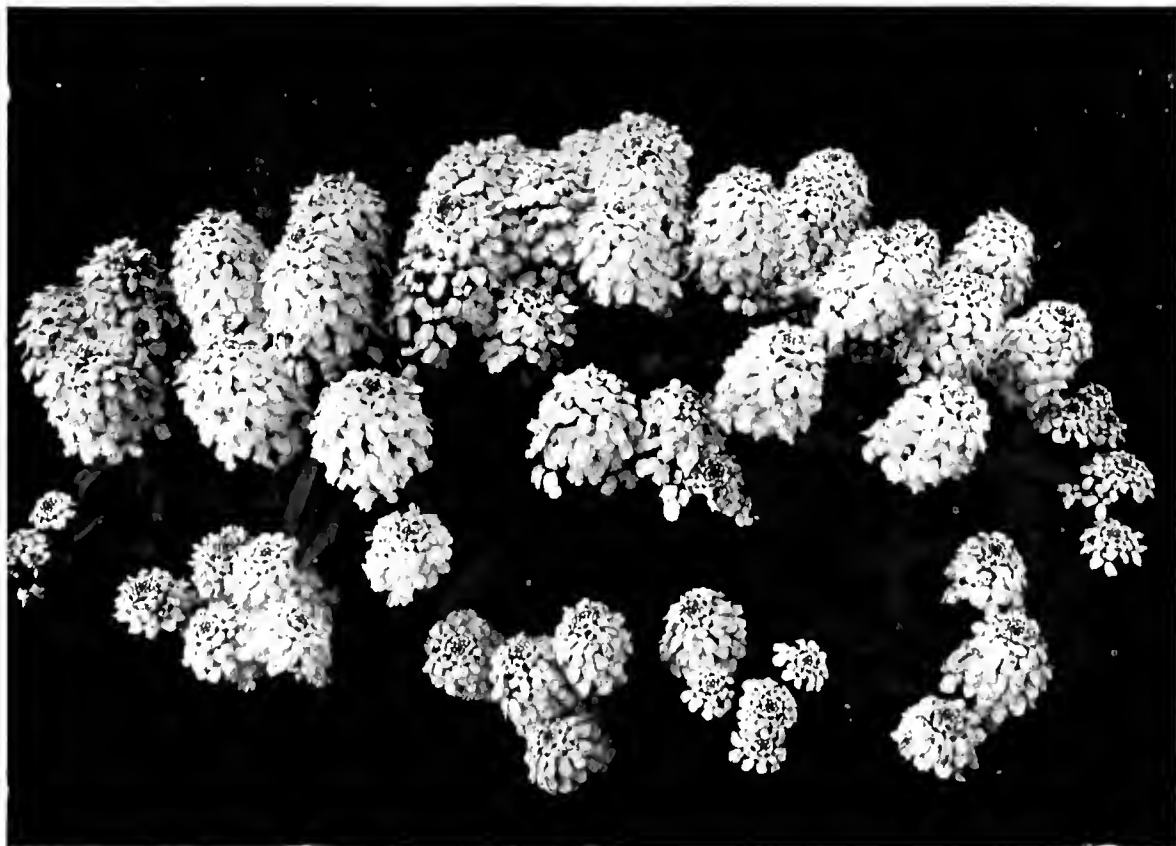
CAMELLIA.—Greenhouse shrub, universally admired. Sow seeds early in the spring in pots, place in heat, and pot off as soon as seedlings can be conveniently handled.

- No. 346. **Japonica fl. pl.** Saved from best varieties ... 1s. & 2 6

CANARY CREEPER. (See page 163.)



CAMPANULA PERSICIFOLIA ALBA.



CARTERS EMPRESS COMPACT CANDYTUFT.

Extract from R. H. S. Trials, 1909.

"CANDYTUFT EMPRESS COMPACT (CARTER).—Very neat and compact, flowers white, in dense pyramidal spikes, freely produced; the best white Candytuft in the trial."

		Per packet		s.	d.
No. 1483.	Candytuft Empress, Carters Compact. —Large spikes of the purest white and of erect habit, dwarf and compact, very profuse in bloom, exceedingly showy and effective. Height, 6 inches	...	...	1s., 1s. 6d., &	2 6
„ 348.	Carters Pigmy. —A dwarf type of hyacinth-flowered. Forms quite a white carpet. 4 inches	...	...	6d. &	1 0

Hints on Culture.—These hardy flowers are now a necessity; brilliant in colour, compact in habit, and useful alike in pot or border. Sow in spring in ordinary soil. For pot work, sow in pots in frame, and thin out the seedlings, or they may be transplanted. Average height, 1 foot.

CANNA (INDIAN SHOT).—Ornamental-foliaged plants with showy flowers, for stove, greenhouse, or sub-tropical planting. Steep seed 24 hours in tepid water, and sow in strong heat. Pot off seedlings as soon as they can be handled.

No. 360.	Crozy. Choicest dwarf varieties; magnificent	...	...	...	...	1s. &	2 6
„ 361.	Carters Choice Mixed. All the best varieties	...	...	...	...	6d. &	1 0

CANNABIS (INDIAN HEMP).—One of the finest foliage plants for sub-tropical gardens and beds. Sow in spring and prick off.

No. 362.	Indica. 6 feet	0 6
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"We had a packet of your Hyacinth-flowered Candytuft last year, it was admired by everyone. At a short distance it was like a bed of Stocks, some plants carrying seven heads. Length of blooms, 6 inches. A very fine strain."—Mr. PETER SMITH, Head Gardener to C. A. HOPE, Esq.

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CARTERS HYACINTH FLOWERED CANDYTUFT.

CANDYTUFT—*continued.*

Candytuft, Carters Hyacinth-flowered.—A magnificent introduction, each plant having 5 or 6 heads of bloom. Its fine spiral spikes of the purest whiteness make it a very attractive decoration in either beds or borders. Sow in spring, and transplant 9 inches apart, keeping faded heads cut away. 1 foot.

No. 347	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6d., 1s., &	2 6
" 349.	Rose Cardinal.	A beautiful shade of rosy scarlet	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6d. &	1 0
" 350.	Carters Carmine.	Bright rose, excellent form	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6d. &	1 0
" 351.	Carters Spiral.	Pure white, long trusses	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3d., 6d., &	1 0
" 352.	Crimson (Dunnett's).	Brilliant	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3d., 6d., &	1 0
" 353.	Purple	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3d. &	0 6
" 354.	Lilac	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3d. &	0 6
" 355.	White...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3d. &	0 6
" 356.	Carters Choice Mixed.	For open borders	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3d., 6d., &	1 0

PERENNIAL CANDYTUFT, FOR BORDERS OR ROCKWORK.

No. 357.	Iberis Gibraltarica.	Suffused lilac, lovely species	1 0
" 358.	" semperflorens,	white	0 6
" 359.	" sempervirens,	white	0 6

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CARTERS SINGLE CANTERBURY BELLS.



THE CUP AND SAUCER VARIETY.

CARTERS SUPERB CANTERBURY BELLS.

No.		Per packet—s.	d.
363.	Canterbury Bells, Carters Superb Mixed. All shades of colour; a fine assortment of both Singles and Doubles ; good habit	6d. &	1 0
368.	Single blue	3d. &	0 6
369.	„ rose. Delicate shade,	3d. &	0 6
370.	„ white	3d. &	0 6

No.		Per packet—s.	d.
371.	Cup and Saucer varieties (Calycanthemum). This beautiful type is represented in the photograph. Carters Choice Mixed 2 feet	6d. &	1 0
372.	Blue	6d. &	1 0
373.	Rose	6d. &	1 0
374.	White	6d. &	1 0

DOUBLE VARIETIES.

Seed chosen from the very best Double Flowers, but unfortunately a few Singles cannot be avoided.

No.		Per packet—s.	d.	No.		Per packet—s.	d.
364.	Double blue	6d. &	1 0	366.	Double rose	6d. &	1 0
365.	„ lilac	6d. &	1 0	367.	„ white	6d. &	1 0

Canterbury Bell.—Hardy biennials. Sow in summer, transplant to a bed in autumn for flowering following year. They also make effective pot plants for spring flowering, sown in summer and potted in autumn, and kept in a cool frame through winter. No matter how carefully the double flowering types are saved, some are certain to come single. The seed-bearing spikes should be cut out when the beauty is over, and more may come. Averaging 3 feet in height.

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CAPSICUM. No. 377.



CASTER OIL PLANT. No. 381.

Per packet—s. d.

Capsicum.—Excellent pot plants for conservatory or table decoration. Sow seeds in heat in spring, and pot off singly.

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| No. 375. | Little Gem. | Scarlet. | 1 foot ... | ... | 1 | 0 |
| " 376. | Prince of Wales. | Yellow ... | ... | ... | 1 | 0 |
| " 377. | Elephant's Trunk. | Scarlet | ... | ... | 1 | 0 |
| " 378. | Carters choice mixed. Various colours for general use | | | | ... | 0 6 |

Cassia (INDIAN LABURNUM). Sow in spring in heat, and pot off. A fine plant for summer bedding.

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| No. 379. | Corymbosa | ... | ... | ... | 0 | 6 |
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Castor Oil Plant (RICINUS).—Stately plants with large palmate foliage for conservatory or sub-tropical garden and general decoration. Mostly grown as annuals. Sow in spring in heat, and plant out in summer.

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| No. 380. | Cambodgiensis. | Foliage crimson, almost black | ... | ... | ... | 1 | 0 |
| " 381. | Gibsoni. | Popular dark bronze-leaved variety. | 3 feet ... | ... | 6d. & | 1 | 0 |
| " 382. | Zanzibariensis. | Grand foliage of various shades. | 6 feet .. | ... | 6d. & | 1 | 0 |
| " 383. | Africanus. | Light. | 6 feet ... | ... | ... | 0 | 6 |
| " 384. | Sanguineus. | Hardest variety; dark stems, red foliage. | 6 feet ... | ... | ... | 0 | 6 |
| " 385. | Carters choicest mixed varieties | | | | ... | ... | 6d. & 1 0 |

Catananche Cœrulea.

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| No. 386. | Hardy perennial, | useful as cut flower; bright blue. | 1½ feet ... | ... | 0 | 6 |
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Catchfly (SILENE).

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| No. 387. | Red. | Hardy annual. | 1 foot ... | ... | 0 | 6 |
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Cerastium.—Silver-leaved ornamental hardy perennials, useful as an edging or on rockeries. Seed may be sown in spring or summer.

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| No. 403. | Biebersteini. | White perennial edging plant. | 6 inches ... | ... | ... | 0 | 6 |
| " 404. | Tomentosum. | Neatest and most effective. | 6 inches ... | ... | ... | 1 | 0 |

Chamæpeuce (FISHBONE THISTLE).—Half-hardy biennial with ornamental foliage. Is seen at its best the first season. Seed should be sown in early spring, in gentle heat, and potted off.

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| No. 405. | Diacantha. | Spiny border perennial; glaucous foliage. | 1 foot ... | ... | ... | 0 | 6 |
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Chamærops (FAN PALM).—Sow in bottom heat, and pot off.

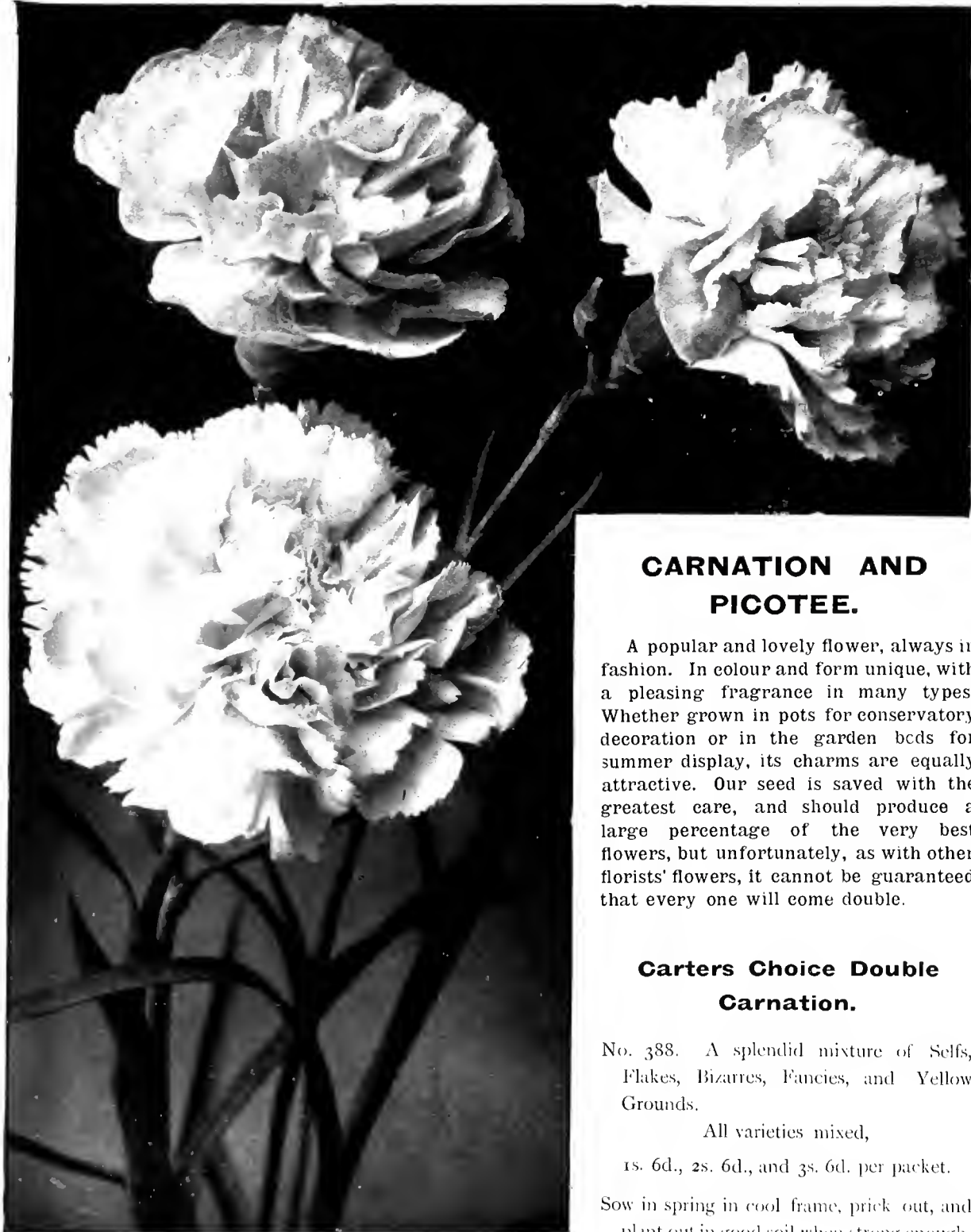
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| No. 406. | Humilis. | A fine decorative plant for house, garden, or conservatory | ... | ... | ... | 0 | 6 |
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Chelone.—Sow in spring, and transplant. Useful variety of great decorative value.

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| No. 407. | Barbata coccinea. | Bright scarlet perennial. | 2 feet ... | ... | ... | 0 | 6 |
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Celsia.—Half-hardy Biennial. A pretty plant for greenhouse and conservatory decoration, and for bedding in the south of England. Sow in spring and summer for pot work.

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| No. 402. | Cretica or Golden Spray | ... | ... | ... | 1 | 0 |
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CARNATION AND PICOTEE.

A popular and lovely flower, always in fashion. In colour and form unique, with a pleasing fragrance in many types. Whether grown in pots for conservatory decoration or in the garden beds for summer display, its charms are equally attractive. Our seed is saved with the greatest care, and should produce a large percentage of the very best flowers, but unfortunately, as with other florists' flowers, it cannot be guaranteed that every one will come double.

Carters Choice Double Carnation.

No. 388. A splendid mixture of Selfs, Flakes, Bizarres, Fancies, and Yellow Grounds.

All varieties mixed,

1s. 6d., 2s. 6d., and 3s. 6d. per packet.

Sow in spring in cool frame, prick out, and plant out in good soil when strong enough.

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CARTERS ANNUAL CARNATIONS.

Bloom in six months from seed.

Carnations are favourites with all lovers of flowers. This new strain will bring them within the reach and the cultivation of everybody, as it is one of the most valuable introductions of modern times.

Sow under glass in January and February, and transplant as soon as ready. They commence to flower in July, producing a wealth of large blooms of great variety in colour until cut off by the frost, thus producing a supply after the perennial varieties are over. Being equally valuable for indoor cultivation, some can be potted and placed in a cool greenhouse, when they will provide a succession of bloom during the winter months. They produce a very large percentage of double flowers, and include a most varied assortment of Fancy, Yellow Ground, Bizarre, as well as Selfs, rich with delightful fragrance and diversity of colour.

No. 389.

Carters Annual Carnation.

Per packet,

1s. 6d., 2s. 6d., & 3s. 6d.



CARTERS ANNUAL CARNATION.

VARIOUS TYPES OF CARNATIONS.

		Per packet—s. d.			Per packet—s. d.
No. 390.	Choicest Perpetual , or Tree.—Includes all the best French varieties in cultivation	Is. & 2 6	No. 397.	Picotee .—Choicest Perpetual. Mixed	Is. & 2 6
„ 391.	Margaret, Mixed .—A class which begins to bloom in the fourth month from the time of appearing above ground	Is. & 2 6	„ 78.	Carnation. 12 varieties.	Is. & 2 6
„ 392.	White Margaret .—Pure white blossom, delicately scented...	Is. & 2 6	„ 79.	Carnation. 12 varieties.	Is. & 2 6
„ 393.	Grenadin .—Very early; bright scarlet	1 0	„ 81.	Carnation. 12 varieties.	Is. & 2 6
„ 394.	Perpetual Yellow .—About 35 per cent. true from seed	2 6	„ 82.	Carnation. 12 varieties.	Is. & 2 6
„ 395.	White Lady .—Large pure white	2 6	„ 83.	Carnation. 12 varieties.	Is. & 2 6
„ 396.	Picotee .—Choicest Double. Mixed	Is. & 2 6		Yellow Fancy ...	Is. & 2 6

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CARTERS RAINBOW CELOSIA.

Per packet *s. d.*

Celosia Plumosa (FEATHERED COCKSCOMB.) Annual. A grand feature in sub-tropical bedding; graceful plumes. Sow in spring, in heat, prick off into pans, and pot off. They like a good rich soil in a sunny spot. 2 feet.

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| No. 398. | Carters Rainbow. (See photograph above.) A magnificent strain, plants of perfect habit carrying enormous plumes from pale rose to deepest crimson and deep primrose to old gold | 1s. 6d. & | 2 6 | |
| " 400. | Carters Dwarf Golden | Splendid types for bedding or pot work, the compact plants bear splendid feathery plumes and come quite true from seed. Height 15 inches. | 1s. & | 1 6 |
| " 401. | Carters Dwarf Crimson | | 1s. & | 1 6 |
| " 399. | Carters Perfection Plume. Mixed | 1s. & | 2 6 | |

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CENTAUREA, OR GIANT SWEET SULTAN.

The flowers of this greatly improved annual are at least twice the size of the older varieties. It is most deliciously scented, with long flower stalks to facilitate cutting, and when cut will last in water for a fortnight. In this respect alone it exceeds any other annual we can call to mind. We give this flower the highest possible recommendation. *For ordinary Sweet Sultans, see page 255.* Height $1\frac{1}{2}$ foot.

May be sown in pots and pricked out for early flowering, or in open borders in spring for general work.

ANNUALS.

No.	Carters	See Photograph	Per packet—s. d.
408.	Carters Giant White (<i>Centaurea Margarita</i>).	...	6d., 1s., & 1 6
1517.	Carters Giant Purple ... ..	...	6d., 1s., & 1 6
1518.	Carters Giant Mauve ... ..	...	6d., 1s., & 1 6
1484.	Carters Giant Mauve with White Centre ... ..	...	6d., 1s., & 1 6
1485.	Carters Giant Yellow ... ..	...	6d., 1s., & 1 6
409.	Carters Giant Mixed. A grand mixture of all shades ... ..	...	6d., 1s., & 1 6
413.	Americana. Purple, thistle-like flowers (<i>see Photograph, page 187</i>) ... ..	...	6d., 1s., & 1 6
414.	Depressa. Old-fashioned annual, with large blue flowers ... ..	...	... 1 0
			... 0 3

PERENNIALS.

Centaurea (PERENNIAL).—Beautiful silver-foliaged plants with variously cut leaves for mixed borders or variegated bedding. Sow in spring, and prick out.

No.	Carters	Per packet—s. d.
410.	Candidissima. Purest silver. 2 feet 1 0
411.	" compacta. 1 foot 1 0
412.	Gymnocarpa. Wide leaf 0 6

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CHRYSANTHEMUM ANNUAL.

Of all Annuals these pretty flowers hold a leading position, and many of them have been raised on our Seed Farms. All are beautiful in beds and borders and good for window boxes, or cutting. Sow seed in spring in boxes for early flowering, and in the open for general work. Some varieties make useful pot plants; for this purpose they should be sown under glass. 1½ foot.

ANNUAL CHRYSANTHEMUMS.

										Per packet—s. d.
No. 415.	Morning Star.	Single. Delicate sulphur-coloured blossoms; very pretty. Equally good as a single plant, grown in masses in beds or borders, or as a cut flower; also fine for pot culture for winter blooming	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6d. & 1 0
" 416.	Lord Beaconsfield.	Crimson maroon and gold	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6d., 1s., & 2 6
" 417.	Purple Queen.	Distinct dark purple	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6d., 1s., & 2 6
" 418.	Sultan.	Crimson with gold ring near centre	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6d., 1s., & 2 6
" 419.	Gladstone, W. E.	Crimson and violet	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6d., 1s., & 2 6
" 420.	Choice Mixed Annual	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	6d., 1s., & 2 6
" 423.	Burridgi.	Single. Pure white, with crimson ring	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3d., 6d., 1s., & 2 6
" 430.	Tricolor (Carinatum). Single	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3d., 6d., 1s., & 2 6
" 431.	Single White (Ox-eye Daisy)	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3d., 6d., 1s., & 2 6
" 432.	" Yellow	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3d., 6d., 1s., & 2 6
" 433.	" Mixed	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3d., 6d., 1s., & 2 6
" 428.	Double White, THE BRIDAL ROBE.	Flowers of purest white and fully double	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1s. & 1 6
" 425.	Snow White Double	Dunnettii { A good proportion of double blossoms may be expected. }	}	}	}	}	}	}	}	3d., 6d., 1s., & 2 6
" 426.	Double Golden									3d., 6d., 1s., & 2 6
" 427.	" Mixed									3d., 6d., 1s., & 2 6
" 422.	Imbricatum.	Double. Yellow	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3d., 6d., 1s., & 2 6
" 424.	Inodorum.	Double white	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3d., 6d., 1s., & 2 6
" 421.	Pumilum.	Double. Bright gold	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3d., 6d., 1s., & 2 6
" 434.	Golden Button.	Double. Charming plant; neat habit. 1 foot	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3d., 6d., 1s., & 2 6
" 435.	Snowball.	Double. Beautiful pure white. Height, 1 foot	6d., 1s., & 2 6
										Matricaria { ... 6d., 1s., & 2 6

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CHRYSANTHEMUM, SHASTA DAISY.
MUCH REDUCED.

- No. 437. **Shasta Daisy.**—A new perennial variety from America, with large white flowers on long stalks. When sown very early under protection the flowers often appear before summer is over. Height, $2\frac{1}{2}$ feet ... 6d., 1s., & 1 6
- No. 436. **Maximum "Princess Henry." Single.** Pure white; good for cutting ... 6d. & 1 0
- " 1530. **" "King Edward VII." Single.** A splendid large-flowered variety, which we highly recommend; the flowers are pure white, and borne on long stiff stalks well above the foliage. Height, $2\frac{1}{2}$ feet ... 1 0
- Chrysanthemum** (EXHIBITION PERENNIAL SPECIES).—Sow in pans in gentle heat, in spring, and pot off singly.
- No. 438. **Carters Show.** Large blooms, fine colours ... 6d. & 1 0
- " 439. **" Japanese.** Gracefully petalled varieties ... 6d. & 1 0
- " 440. **" Pompon.** Neat, globular blossoms ... 6d. & 1 0

CHRYSANTHEMUMS.
CARTERS EARLY AUTUMN FLOWERING HYBRIDS.

Can be treated as an annual.

Sown in January and February will produce plants which flower from the middle of August onwards. Both for outdoor culture and growing under glass this strain is extremely valuable, supplying large quantities of cut flowers at a season of the year when they are particularly needed.

Singles, semi-doubles, and doubles in endless varieties of shades are contained in this splendid mixture.

No. 1594 ... 2 6

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CARTERS BRILLIANT PRIZE CINERARIA.



CARTERS BRILLIANT PRIZE CINERARIAS GROWING FOR SEED AT OUR NURSERIES.

Carters Brilliant Prize Cineraria.—The only strain awarded four Gold Medals by the Royal Botanic Society.

Our house has long been famed for its Cinerarias, and extra care has been taken in the selection of the plants this season. The colours are simply lovely, consisting of vivid self and brilliant bordered varieties, in an unequalled diversity of shades.

Sow seed in pans filled with a good light sandy compost in spring up to the beginning of June, and place in a cool frame. Transfer to small pots as soon as the seedlings have developed their leaves, and pot on as the plants require it. They should be grown in a cold frame until frost necessitates their removal to a greenhouse. Even in winter they should not receive much artificial heat. Will come into bloom from Christmas to May.

No. 441. Choicest Colours saved from finest Flowers, all colours mixed.		Per packet	s. d.
		1s. 6d., 2s. 6d., 3s. 6d., &	5 0
„ 442. Carters Snowflake. —Pure white	... ..	2s. 6d., 3s. 6d., &	5 0
„ 443. „ Choice Double. —Of all the finest forms and colours	... ..	2s. 6d., 3s. 6d., &	5 0
„ 444. Single "Ixon." —A novel and eccentric variety, with semi-quilled petals	... ..	1s. 6d. &	2 6
„ 448. Cineraria Maritima. —A well-known hardy SILVER-FOLIAGED PERENNIAL, for bedding or mixed borders;			
1½ foot. Seeds should be sown in pans in early spring under glass, and the seedlings pricked off into boxes, hardening before planting out	... ..	6d. &	1 0

AWARDED TWO SILVER CUPS BY THE ROYAL HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY IN 1910 AND 1911.

"The Cinerarias raised from your seed, sown in August are now in full bloom and make a wonderful show."—R. NESBITT, Esq.

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CARTERS DECORATIVE CINERARIAS.

CARTERS CACTUS. — An entirely new break in Cinerarias; the edges of the florets recurve like a single Cactus Dahlia. The colours include white, blue, blush, violet, mauve, and some have a white zone surrounding the dark disk, the florets being tipped with violet, blue, &c. The flowers when cut last a long time, and by their lightness and elegance make charming table decorations.

A grand mixture including all shades of colours.

No. 429. Carters Choicest Mixed
per packet, 1s. 6d., 2s. 6d., 3s. 6d., and 5s.



CARTERS CACTUS CINERARIA.

CARTERS STELLATA.—This free-panieled variety has now obtained general approval, especially for decorative arrangements, for which purpose it has proved marvellously effective, being a valuable adjunct to the much admired Carters *Brilliant Prize*. It should be raised and treated in the same manner as the other greenhouse varieties.

No. 446. Carters Choicest Mixed
per packet, 1s. 6d., 2s. 6d., 3s. 6d., and 5s.



CARTERS STELLATA CINERARIA.

CLARKIA.

Well-known HARDY ANNUAL, of great decorative value and easy culture. Seed should be sown in spring in the open border. The Elegans type are excellent for vases, as the long spikes continue to bloom for many days. Sown during autumn and grown on in a cool-house, Clarkias make magnificent plants 4 to 5 feet high for greenhouse decoration or winter garden.

Per packet—s. d.

- No. 447. **Clarkia Brilliant Princess (new).**
A splendid companion to *White Prince*; long spikes of glowing rose blossom 1 0
- „ 1486. **Elegans, New Blotched.** Pale pink, flaked with crimson 6d. & 1 0
- „ 450. **Elegans, Purple King.** Double rosy purple. Erect habit. 2 feet ... 3d., 6d., & 1 0
- „ 451. **Elegans, Salmon Queen.** Double salmon. Bright colour. 2 feet ... 3d., 6d., & 1 0
- „ 452. **Elegans, White Prince.** Double pure white. 2 feet 3d., 6d., & 1 0
- „ 457. **Integripetala, Mrs. Langtry.** White and carmine 3d., 6d., & 1 0
- „ 449. **Integripetala, Morning Glory, double variety.** Rosy purple, margined white. 1½ foot 3d., 6d., & 1 0
- „ 453. **Integripetala.** Typical plant; dark rose. 1½ foot 3d., 6d., & 1 0
- „ 454. **Integripetala alba, single.** Pure white 3d., 6d., & 1 0
- „ 455. **Integripetala double rose.** 1½ foot 3d., 6d., & 1 0
- „ 456. **Integripetala double white.** 1½ foot 3d., 6d., & 1 0
- „ 458. **Elegans.** Original hardy purple variety. 2 feet 3d., 6d., & 1 0
- „ 459. **Elegans alba.** White ... 3d., 6d., & 1 0

Clary.—Sow outdoors in spring.

- No. 460. **Purple.** Hardy annual, for bedding 6

Clematis (VIRGIN'S BOWER).—Well-known climbing perennials. Sow seed in early spring under glass, pot off and plant outdoors in early summer.

- No. 461. **Flammula.** Ordinary white, sweet scented... 6
- „ 462. **Jackmanni varieties.** Saved from the best colours 1s. & 2 6



CLARKIA BRILLIANT PRINCESS.

Carters Seedsmen by Appointment to His Majesty the King—High Holborn, London.

Per packet—s. d.

Cockscomb.—Annual. Our strain cannot be surpassed. For earliest work, sow in January or February, and again in spring for general work, using good light sandy loam.

No. 468. **Carters Empress.**—Combs of immense size; we have measured these 15 inches across. Rich crimson, dark foliage 2 6

„ 469. **Crimson**, light foliage. Good ordinary stock 0 6

Coleus.—Grand ornamental foliaged plants, superbly variegated; for stove, greenhouse, or sub-tropical garden in summer. Sow in heat in early spring, and pot off. The variegation does not always show itself plainly until the plants have reached some size. We also offer plants of choice named varieties. Lists on application.

No. 470. **Carters Choicest Mixed.**
Saved from the best varieties
Is., Is. 6d., & 2 6

Columbine.—*See also Aquilegia, page 147.*

No. 472. **Mixed.** Ordinary garden variety
3d. & 0 6

Commelina.—Half-hardy tuberous perennial plant. Sow in heat in early spring, and plant out in May or June.

No. 473. **Cælestis.** Blue. 1½ foot 0 3

Coreopsis.—*See page 166.*

Cordyline.—Perennial shrubs. Sow in early spring, in strong heat, in pots or pans of sandy soil, and pot off. Most useful as a table plant, for greenhouse decoration, or summer bedding.

No. 474. **Australis.** Recurved dark green foliage. 3 feet 1 0

Cornflower.—*See Cyanus, page 183.*



CARTERS EMPRESS COCKSCOMB.

Per packet—s. d.

Clanthus (GLORY PEA).—Magnificent greenhouse climbers. Seed should be sown in well-drained pot of light soil early in spring, in strong heat.

No. 463. **Dampieri** (Sturt's Pea). Unique, scarlet and black 2 6

„ 464. **Puniceus** (New Zealand Glory). Bright crimson scarlet flowers 1 0

Clintonia.

No. 465. **Pulchella.** One of the loveliest pot annuals; purple, white, and yellow.
6 inches 0 6

Cobæa.—Handsome half-hardy climber for greenhouse or in warm situation out of doors. Easily grown from seed; sown early in spring, in heat, and pot off.

No. 466. **Scandens.** Purple bell-shaped flowers 0 6

„ 467. **Scandens alba.** White .. 6d. & 1 0

Collinsia.—Pretty annual. Very useful for pot work as well as for border cultivation. Sow in autumn in pots for spring flowering in greenhouse, and in spring for summer flowering in borders.

No. 471. **Bicolor.** Purple and white. 1 foot.. 0 3



CONVOLVULUS MAJOR.

Per packet—s. d.

Convolvulus Major. — Annual.

Lovely climbers for garden, trellis, &c.
Sow in spring where intended to bloom.

No. 475.	Carters Choicest Mixed,	all colours,	per oz. 1s. ; 3d. &	o	6
„ 476.	Blue ...	...	3d. &	o	6
„ 477.	Crimson ...	...	3d. &	o	6
„ 478.	Violet ..	...	3d. &	o	6
„ 479.	White ...	...	3d. &	o	6

Convolvulus Minor. — Annual.

A dwarf species, lovely colours. Sow in spring in open border where plants are to bloom.

No. 480.	Bouquet.	White and rose	3d. &	o	6
„ 481.	Crimson violet ...	...	3d. &	o	6
„ 482.	Dark Purple.	The general favourite	3d. &	o	6
„ 483.	Minor Blue ...	...	3d. &	o	6
„ 484.	Striped ...	...	3d. &	o	6
„ 485.	White ..	...	3d. &	o	6
„ 486.	Minor Mixed, Carters Varieties.	For general borders	... 3d. &	o	6

Convolvulus (IPOMÆA). Greenhouse climbers, embracing some of the loveliest colours imaginable. Sow in early spring in heat, and pot off, and train on trellis under glass, or out of doors in summer.

No. 487.	Mauritanicus.	Perennial.	For hanging baskets...	6d. &	1 o
„ 488.	Heavenly Blue.	Perennial.	Surpassingly lovely ; a gem	6d. &	1 o
„ 489.	Leari.	Perennial.	Dark violet	... 6d. &	1 o
„ 490.	Rubro-cærulea.	Perennial	...	... 6d. &	1 o

COWSLIP.—Perennial. Our mixture contains a great diversity of colours.

No. 493.	English, mixed ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	o	6
„ 494.	„ yellow.	The well-known English Cowslip of our fields	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	o	6
„ 495.	American (Dodecatheon) ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	o

CUPHEA.—A pretty shrubby perennial which makes a useful pot plant. It is often employed for bedding out in summer, and for this work is best treated as an annual. Seeds may be sown in autumn or spring in heat.

No. 496.	Eminens.	Red and yellow...	1	o
„ 497.	Platycentra.	Red and black	o	6

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COSMEA.

Early Flowering Varieties, Mixed.—Including purple, pink, mauve, white, and rose. Cosmeas have hitherto been shut out of English gardens on account of their lateness in flowering; this novel race brings them within the range of desirable flowers for this country. Height, 3 to 4 feet.

No. 1459. 6d. & 1s. per packet.

		Per packet—s. d.
No. 491.	Bipinnata. Purple	6d. & 1 0
„ 492.	Carters mixed colours. Choice	6d. & 1 0

CYANUS MINOR.

(CORNFLOWER.) ANNUAL.

Everything may be said on behalf of these interesting and useful flowers, both as a border plant and also as a cut bloom. Sow in open border in autumn and spring.

		Per packet—s. d.
No. 498.	Emperor Blue. Perhaps the most popular of all, 2 feet	6d. & 1 0
„ 499.	Carters Double, Mixed ... 6d. &	1 0
„ 500.	Carters Single, Mixed ... 3d. &	0 6
„ 501.	Victoria. Dwarf and free flowering type	3d. & 0 6
„ 502.	Purple ... 3d. &	0 6
„ 503.	Rose ... 3d. &	0 6
„ 504.	White ... 3d. &	0 6



CARTERS EARLY FLOWERING COSMEA.

A pretty feathery foliaged annual, useful for cutting, growing sometimes to a height of 4 feet, and very effective right up to the frost. Makes a nice winter flowering pot plant if sown in summer.



CYANUS MINOR (CORNFLOWER).



SIZE OF BLOOM OF CARTERS WHITE SWAN CYCLAMEN.

CARTERS "PERFECTION" CYCLAMEN.

- No. 505. **Carters Superb Mixture of all Colours.**—Our grand large-flowered strain in all its best forms.
Per packet, price 1s. 6d., 2s. 6d., and 5s.
- „ 506. **Carters White Swan.**—A very vigorous grower, throwing its pure white flowers well above the foliage; a fine decorative variety. (*See Photograph above.*) Per packet, price 1s. 6d., 2s. 6d., and 5s. each.
- „ 1460. **Carters Salmon.**—Distinct and fresh; a strong and vigorous variety.
Per packet, price 1s. 6d., 2s. 6d., and 5s. each.
- „ 507. **Charming Bride.**—Superb white petals; compact habit.
- „ 508. **Crimson Queen.**—Deep maroon-red; bold; first class.
- „ 509. **Dixon Hartland.**—White; dark claret base; large flower.
- „ 510. **Duke of Connaught.**—Deep cherry colour.
- „ 511. **Fairy Queen.**—Pale rose, compact habit.
- „ 512. **Mont Blanc.**—Magnificent, pure white.
- „ 513. **Princess Ida.**—Blush, with dark rose base.
- „ 514. **Princess May.**—A dainty soft pink.
- „ 515. **Rosy Morn.**—Bright rose, dark claret base.
- „ 516. **Sunray.**—From dark to light rose, flamed scarlet.
- „ 517. **The Sultan.**—The richest coloured Cyclamen; intense crimson.
- „ 518. **Complete Collection,** as above, 13 varieties for s. d.
- „ 519. **Six varieties** (purchaser's selection) 11 6
- „ 520. **Cyclamen, mixed,** older varieties 5 6
- ...per packet, 1s., 1s. 6d., & 2 6

Each, price per packet,
1s., 1s. 6d., and 2s. 6d.

CARTERS CRESTED CYCLAMEN.—A very pretty type of flower, contrasting conspicuously when mingled with a collection of the ordinary type. The flowers are also very lasting. Choicest mixed.

No. 522. Per packet, price 1s. 6d., 2s. 6d., and 5s. each.

CARTERS BUTTERFLY CYCLAMEN.—The colours are surprisingly varied and beautiful. The petals of the flowers are broad across the top, and the edges finely curled or waved, on a long and slender stalk. Choicest mixed.

No. 521. Per packet, price 1s. 6d., 2s. 6d., and 5s. each.

Sow at any time (spring and autumn to be preferred) in pots or pans, in peaty loam and sand, covering the soil scarcely a quarter of an inch, place on warm shelf near the glass in greenhouse keeping the soil moist but well drained. The seed takes from four to eight weeks to germinate. When the bulbs are the size of a pea transplant singly into small pots, transferring to larger pots as the plants develop. An average of 60° is the temperature best suited for producing well-developed flowers, and good ventilation without draught is a safeguard from disease. We also supply dry bulbs at the end of the summer (*see page 271*).

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Novelty. — Carters Raynes Park Gem. — Novelty.

Height 1 ft., very floriferous, Colour a glowing dark scarlet.

We find this variety succeeds best when planted in pots or very firmly in light soil not too rich in character, allowing $2\frac{1}{2}$ feet between the plants. When cultivated in rich soil the plants are liable to produce a large amount of foliage at the expense of flowers.

Each plant forms a compact bush, and its large handsome blossoms are thrown well above the foliage. If planted out in June a brilliant display will be produced from the middle of August onwards.

Plants in small 60 pots will be ready for delivery by middle of May. Orders may now be booked.

Price 2s. each, or 18s. per dozen.

Dahlia.—CARTERS CROSS-FERTILISED STRAINS. Our strain has been specially hybridised and fertilised with various species, and should produce some novel kinds. Sow the seed in early spring, in heat, and pot off. Plant out as soon as large enough in June. Plants raised very early will bloom the same season. We can supply plants in May, *see page 271.*

				Per packet—s. d.	
No.	524.	Carters Single Dahlia. Magnificent flowers of the newest and best colours	...	1s., 1s. 6d., &	2 6
"	525.	Pigmy Single Dahlia. Forms a dwarf bush	...	...	1 0
"	526.	Perfection Giant, Single Dahlia. The variety in this strain is very great	...	1s. &	2 6
"	523.	Carters Cactus Dahlia from the best varieties, mixed	...	1s., 1s. 6d., &	2 6
"	529.	Carters New Giant. Producing very large semi-double flowers, mixed	...	1s. &	2 6
"	527.	Dahlia.—Show, Double. For perfect form cannot be surpassed	...	1s. &	2 6
"	528.	" Bouquet or Pompom. One of the most useful flowers for cutting	...	1s. &	2 6



NIGELLA "MISS JEKYLL." 6d. and 1s. per packet (see page 211).

Per packet—s. d.

Daisy.—CHARMING SPRING FLOWERS IN BORDERS. Sow in light soil in spring, and prick out.

No. 530.	Finest Double (Bellis).	Pink	6d. &	1	0
" 531.	" "	White	6d. &	1	0
" 532.	" "	Carters selected strain of all colours	6d., 1s., &	2	6
" 533.	Paris White (Chrysanthemum)	... ..	6d., 1s., &	2	6
" 534.	Swan River (Brachycome).	A bright, free-blooming annual; blue and white. 1 foot ... ..	...	0	6

Datura (THORN APPLE).—Sow in heat in early spring, and pot off, hardening off well before planting out. *B. suaveolens* may be placed out of doors in summer, but must be protected from frosts.

No. 535.	Atroviolacea plena.	Trumpet-shaped flowers for conservatory or sub-tropical gardens. 2 feet ... ..	...	0	6
" 536.	Chlorantha, fl. pl.	Fine double golden trumpet, sweet-scented; half-hardy 2 feet ... ..	...	0	6
" 537.	Suaveolens (Brugmansia).	Splendid shrub for greenhouse; grand white blossoms	1s. &	2	6

Devil-in-a-Bush.

No. 538.	Bright blue; free bloomer, useful for cutting. May also be grown as a pot plant for culture under glass. 1 foot	3d. &	0	6
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CENTAUREA AMERICANA.

ANNUAL. Height 2 feet.

Sow in open ground during March. Although this charming lavender Centaurea has been offered by us for many years it has never attained the popularity which its beauty deserves. Our illustration gives but a suggestion of the delicate charm of this lovely annual.

No. 413 1s. per packet.



CENTAUREA AMERICANA.

DIMORPHOTHECA AURANTIACA.

ANNUAL. Height 1 foot.

Sown in cold frames in March and transplant to open or sow in open during April. Brilliant growing orange blossoms with black disc. Rows in our Trial Grounds have been covered with blossom for six months in dry and wet seasons.

No. 1565 1s. per packet.

Dimorphothea Aurantiaca Hybrids.

—New selected Hybrids in splendid mixture.

No. 1536 1s. per packet.



DIMORPHOTHECA AURANTIACA.



CARTERS PERENNIAL DELPHINIUM.

DELPHINIUMS.

The **Perennial Delphiniums** are best sown in summer, as they then make strong plants to flower following season. They can also be sown early in spring, and are very effective in borders during the early summer the following year.

Per packet—s. *d.*

- No. 540. **Delphinium, Carters choicest mixed.** A wonderful improvement on other varieties. 3 to 5 feet 6d. & 1 0
- „ 541. **Cardinale.** Scarlet species from California. 2 feet 6d. & 1 0
- „ 542. **Cashmerianum.** Rich blue. 1½ foot 6d. & 1 0
- „ 543. **Nudicaule.** Dwarf orange-scarlet; hardy. 1 foot 6d. & 1 0
- „ 544. **Sulphureum** (Zalil). Long spikes of sulphur-yellow flowers. 4 feet 6d. & 1 0
- „ 545. **Formosum.** Rich deep blue, magnificent. 3 feet 6d. & 1 0
- „ 546. **Formosum caelestinum.** A paler shade of blue; superb. 3 feet 6d. & 1 0
- „ 547. **Choice mixed** 3d. & 0 6

DIDISCUS.—Pretty half-hardy annual; fine for pot culture.

- No. 548. **Cœruleus.** Bright blue. 1 foot ... 0 6

DIGITALIS.—See FOXGLOVE, page 197.

DISEMMA.—Easily raised from seed, by sowing in heat in early spring, and potting off.

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DELPHINIUM.**Carters Annual Delphinium Blue Butterfly** (*see illustration*).

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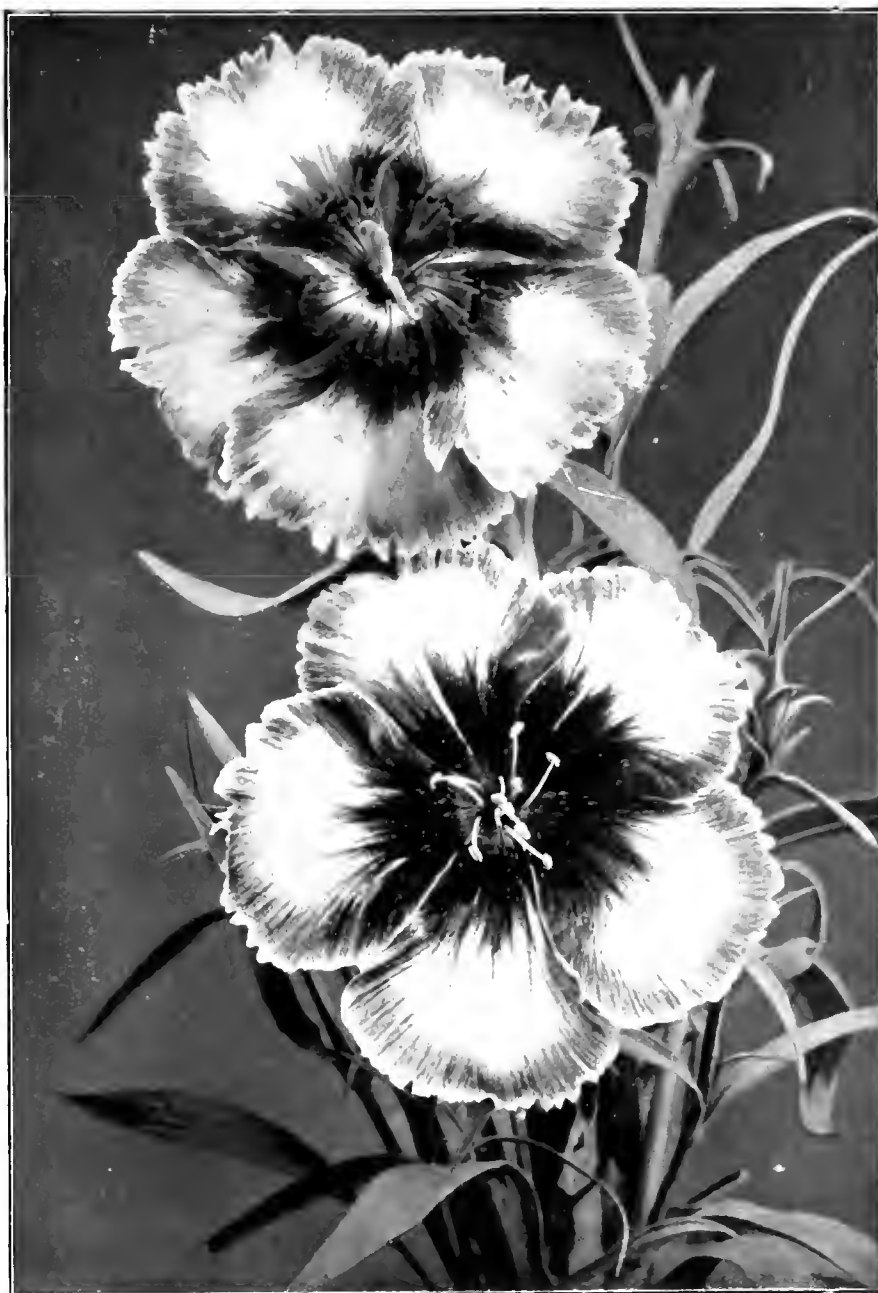
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No. 698. Hardy Annual, quite distinct, producing long spikes with 18 to 20 beautiful double pink blooms. They make an excellent cut flower, a spike of half-opened buds continuing to develop for a long time if fresh supplies of water be given daily. It also makes an effective pot plant for the conservatory stage when sown at end of summer and kept growing through the winter in a cool house.

Height 2 feet 6d. & 1 0

"The Godetias I had from you last spring are a fine show just now, and have been much admired."—MRS. RAE.

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GODETIA.

One of the showiest of all annual flowers.

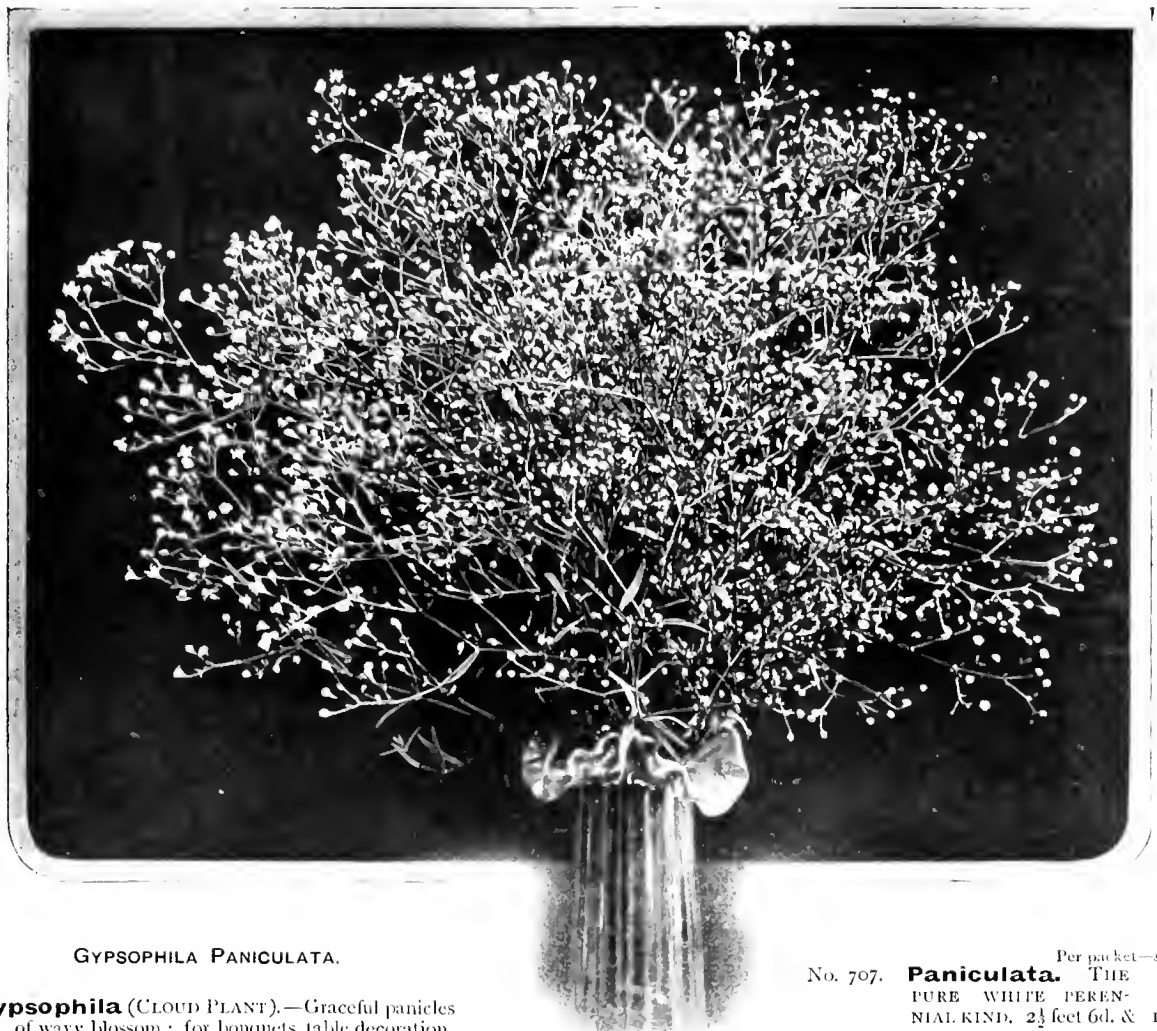
We have grown them in large areas for many years and were awarded the First Class Certificate of the Royal Horticultural Society for that beautiful variety, Lady Satin Rose, perhaps the finest annual flower ever raised. The Godetia makes an excellent cut flower.



CARTERS GODETIA IN GROWTH FOR SEEDS AT OUR FARMS.

		Per packet - s. d.
No. 702.	Carters Miniature Crimson. —A most valuable plant for edging or bedding, a dwarf compact variety with glowing crimson flowers. Height, 6 inches	1 0
„ 687.	Carters Dwarf Deep Rose Pink (<i>Lady Satin Rose</i>).—The flowers are of a most beautiful deep rose-pink, the surface shining like satin. Height, 1 foot	6d., 1s., & 1 6
„ 688.	Carters Dwarf Pink (<i>Rosamund</i>).—A rich glossy pink. Height, 1 foot	6d. & 1 0
„ 689.	Carters Dwarf Crimson (<i>Gloriosa</i>).—A rich glowing crimson. Height, 1 foot	6d. & 1 0
„ 693.	Carters Dwarf White (<i>White Pearl</i>).—Height, 1 foot	6d. & 1 0
„ 692.	Carters Tall Dark Rose (<i>Lady Albemarle</i>).—Height, 2 feet	6d. & 1 0
„ 691.	Carters Tall Carmine (<i>Duke of York</i>).—Height, 2 feet	6d. & 1 0
„ 1523.	Carters Tall Spotted (<i>Bridesmaid</i>).—Height, 2 feet	6d. & 1 0
„ 690.	Carters Tall White (<i>Duchess of Albany</i>).—Height, 2 feet	6d. & 1 0
„ 694.	Alba. —White. 2 feet	6d. & 1 0
„ 695.	Roseo-alba. —Spotted. 2 feet	3d. & 0 6
„ 695.	The Bride. —Dark ring. 1½ foot	3d. & 0 6
„ 697.	Whitneyi. —Spotted. 2 feet	3d. & 0 6
„ 699.	Carters Choice mixed	6d., 1s., & 2 6

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GYPSOPHILA PANICULATA.

Gypsophila (CLOUD PLANT).—Graceful panicles of wavy blossom; for bouquets, table decoration, vases, &c. Sow the annual species in spring where the plants are intended to flower, and thin out seedlings. *G. paniculata* is a perennial, and should be sown in spring or summer.

No. 706. **Muralis**. Hardy annual for rock work. 6 inches

		Per packet—s. d.	
No. 707.	Paniculata . THE PURE WHITE PERENNIAL KIND. 2½ feet 6d. &	1	0
„ 704.	Elegans Grandiflora , cream white	3d. &	0 6
„ 705.	Rosea , rose...	3d. &	0 6
		3d. &	0 6

Gourd.—(See page 212)

Grevillea.—An ornamental plant. In great use for decorative purposes. Sow in heat in early spring, and pot off as soon as they can be handled.

No. 703. **Robusta**. The best for general use; beautiful fern-like foliage 1s. & 2 6

Hawkweed. Annual. Will grow anywhere if sown in spring.

No. 708. **Red**; No. 709. **White**; No. 710. **Yellow**. 1 foot each 3d. & 0 6

Helichrysum (EVERLASTING). Nos. 618 to 624. (See page 196.)

Heliotrope (CHERRY PIE). Sweet-scented perennials. Sow under glass in early spring, and pot off.

No. 711. **Carters Large-flowered varieties**. Beautiful novelties; good colours 6d. & 1 0

„ 712. **Anna Turrell**, light; No. 713. **Roi des Noirs**, dark. 2 feet each 6d. & 1 0

„ 714. **White Lady**; No. 715. **mixed**, ordinary varieties each 6d. & 1 0

Heuchera. Perennial. Charming for bouquets. Sow in spring, and plant out.

No. 716. **Splendens**, crimson, 1½ foot; No. 717. **Splendens alba**, white each 1s. & 2 6

Hibiscus (MALLOW TRIBE).—Showy annual and perennial. Sow *H. Africanus*, the annual species, in early spring under glass, and plant out when all fear of frost has gone. *H. Coccineus* should be sown in heat, and potted off and grown in warm house.

No. 718. **Africanus**, annual; creamy-yellow, purple markings. 1½ foot 3d. & 0 6

„ 719. **Coccineus**; scarlet greenhouse shrub; used for decoration of walls. 6 feet 3d. & 0 6

„ 1493. **Syriacus**, mixed; hardy perennial shrub 3d. & 0 6

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HOLLYHOCK.

Owing to the ravages of the Hollyhock rust or brand, the cultivation of this stately plant has been given up in many gardens.

Now that so many beautiful forms are to be obtained quite true from seed, this delightful subject should again become popular, as seedlings are less prone to the disease than plants raised from cuttings. We therefore recommend our customers to again give this useful plant a place in their borders.

Where plants have suffered from rust in previous years, seedlings should be sprayed with Bordeaux Mixture early in spring, and again when the flower spikes are forming.

Seed is usually sown in summer, and the plants grown on to flower next season, but some prefer to sow in boxes or on a hot-bed early in the year, prick the young plants out, and plant out in April to bloom same summer. We can supply plants in spring.

			Per packet	s.	d.
No. 720.	Carters Double	Show,			
	Crimson ... ..	... 1s. &	2	6	
" 721.	Carters Double	Show,			
	Purplish-Violet ... ..	... 1s. &	2	6	
" 722.	Carters Double	Show,			
	Rose ... ..	... 1s. &	2	6	
" 723.	Carters Double	Show,			
	Salmon ... ..	... 1s. &	2	6	
" 724.	Carters Double	Show,			
	Sulphur-Yellow ... ..	... 1s. &	2	6	
" 725.	Carters Double	Show,			
	Pure White ... ..	... 1s. &	2	6	
" 726.	Carters Double	Show,			
	Choice Mixed ...	6d., 1s., &	2	6	
" 54.	Carters Double	Show,			
	12 Choice Varieties (small packets)	6s. —			

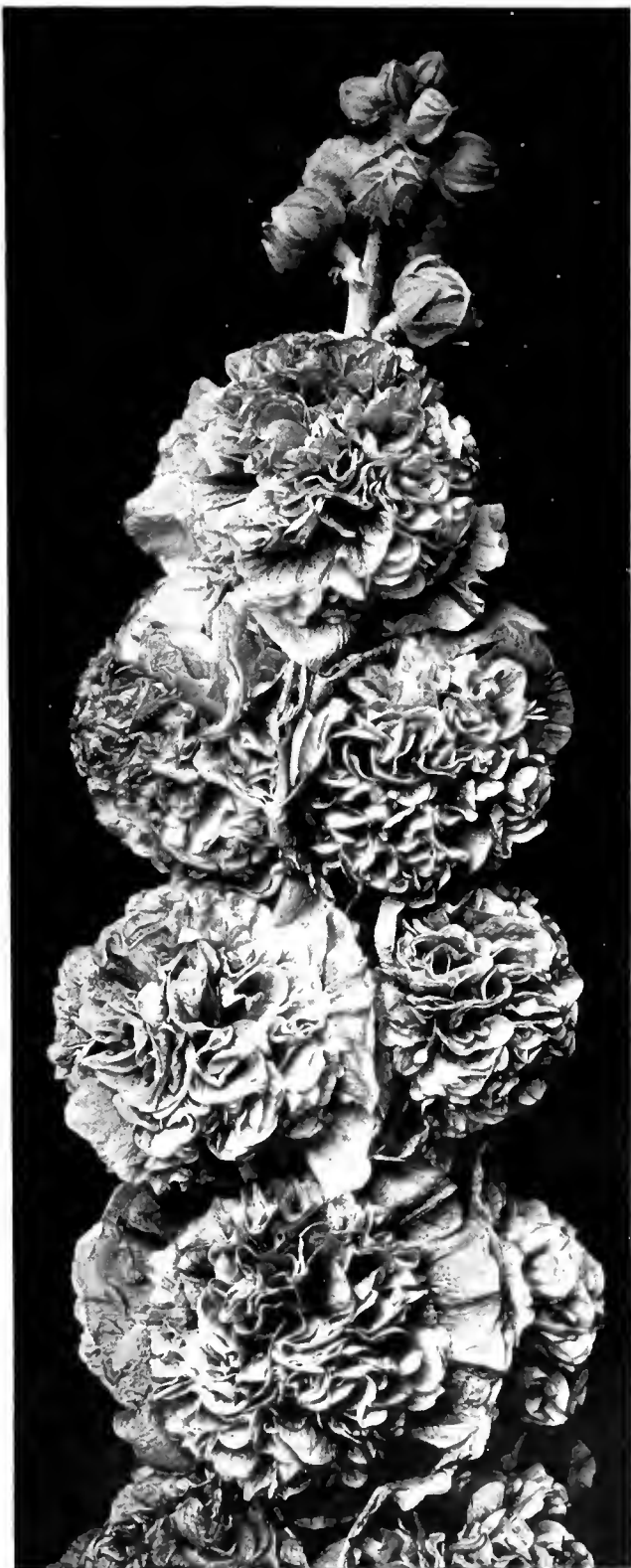
A complete collection of the most distinct colours and charming shades, equal to the best named varieties.

No. 727. **Hollyhock, Carters Perpetual-flowering (Annual Type).** Sown early in spring and planted out first week in May, it will bloom from middle of July to late in autumn. Habit branching, semi-tall, flowers double with graceful loose petals.

Per packet—s. d.
Mixed Colours ... 6d., 1s., & 2 6

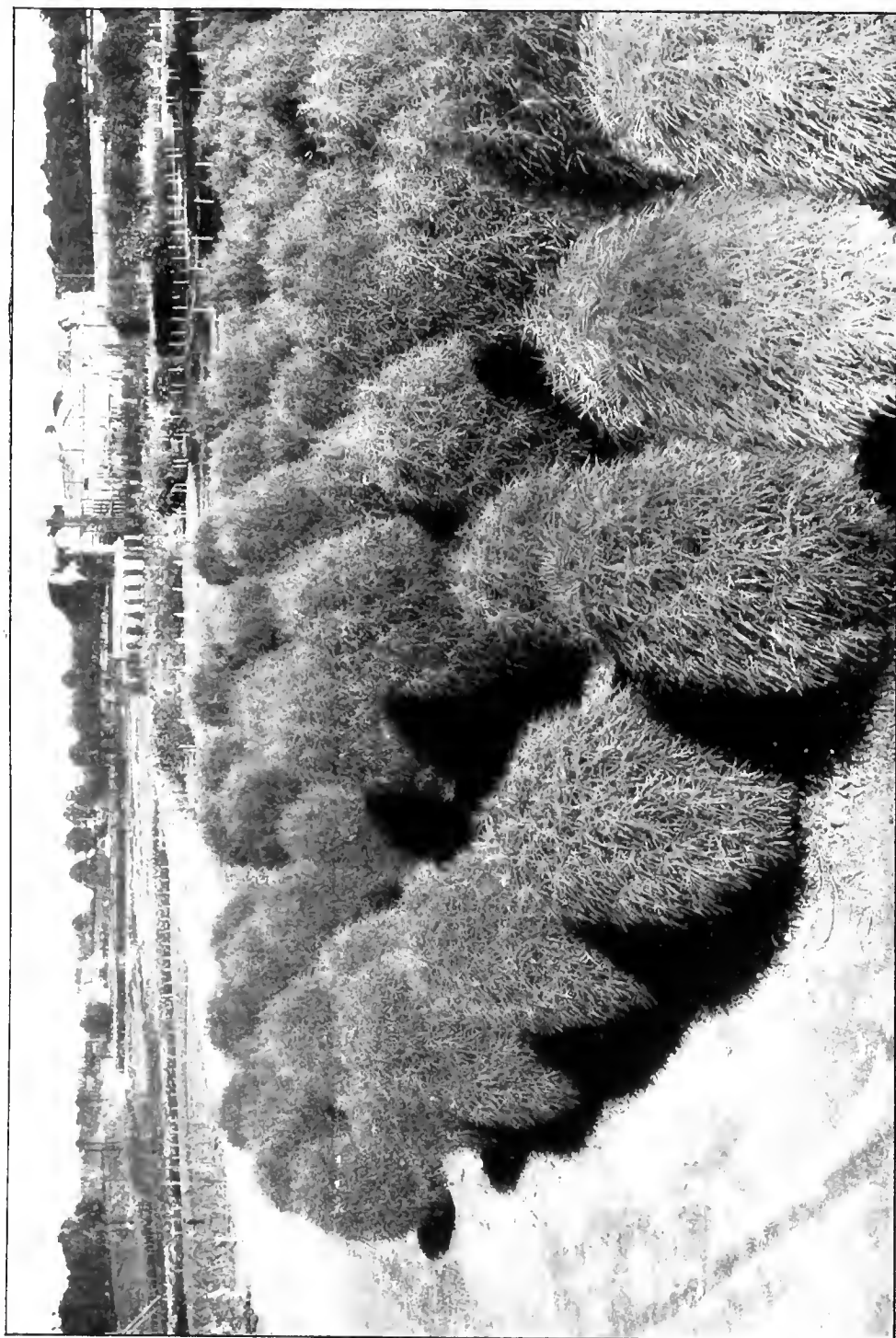
No. 728. **Choice Mammoth Fringed Varieties.** Mixed Colours
6d., 1s., & 2 6

" 1588. **Hollyhock.** Single hybrids
6d., 1s., & 2 6



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PHOTOGRAPH OF CARTERS KOCHIA IN OUR EXPERIMENTAL GARDENS, RAYNES PARK.

Carters Selected Kochia makes a most effective decorative plant, with a habit much resembling one of the compact evergreen shrubs; it has a light grass-green feathery foliage, which changes as the summer advances to a rich crimson. It is a perfectly hardy annual and can be sown in the open ground; it is a rapid grower and flourishes on all soils. The best method is to sow the seed under glass, pot the seedlings off singly, and ultimately bed out or plunge the pots in which they are growing. These round shrub-like plants (often called the Mock Cypress) are most effective when planted amongst flowers, such as Begonias, Geraniums, Petunias, &c., in fact they are most useful for the centre of any bed or when planted out in some decorative scheme. The plants should be pinched back and trimmed to shape when necessary. Height about 2 feet.

No. 750. **Carters Selected Kochia** (*Trichophylla*).—HARDY ANNUAL. Price, per packet, 6d., 1s., and 1s. 6d.



JAPANESE VARIEGATED HOP.

(See No. 734.) 6d., 1s., & 2s. 6d.

Humulus (HOP).—Hardy climbers. No.

734 is a very pretty quick-growing annual climber. Sow in pots early in February, in heat, and plant out in May.

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| No. 733. | Japonicus. | Green foliage | 6d., 1s., & | 2 | 6 |
| " 734. | " | variegatus. Green foliage, marked silvery white. (See Illustration) | 6d., 1s., & | 2 | 6 |
| " 735. | Lupulus. | Perennial (Garden Hop) | 6d. & | 1 | 0 |

Honesty (LUNARIA).—Hardy Perennial. Singular seed vessels, useful when dried, for house decoration in winter. Sow in spring.

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| No. 729. | Purple | ... | ... | 3d. & | 0 | 6 |
| " 730. | White. | 1½ foot | ... | ... | 0 | 6 |

Honeysuckle, Japanese.—Perennial.

No. 731. Variegata. Evergreen; fine in window boxes and hanging baskets 6d. & 1 0

Humea.—Biennial. For greenhouse, in pots. It also makes a graceful plant when used in beds during summer. Sow in summer in pots, in cool frame or greenhouse, and pot off.

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| No. 732. | Elegans | ... | ... | ... | 1 | 0 |
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Ice Plant.—Annual.

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| No. 736. | Mesembryanthemum crystallinum | ... | ... | 3d. & | 0 | 6 |
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Impatiens (BALSAM).—Annuals. Sow in spring in heat, and pot off. Perpetual bloomers.

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| No. 737. | Sultani. | Rosy scarlet | ... | 1s. & | 2 | 6 |
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Impatiens Holsti (ZANZIBAR BALSAM).

—A new annual plant from East Africa, resembling the Zanzibar Balsam in habit, leaf, and shape of blossom. Colour vermilion red. A beautiful plant for half-shady places and pots. Most striking novelty. Awarded a first class certificate, R.H.S., 1905.

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| No. 738 | ... | ... | ... | ... | 1 | 0 |
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Incarvillea.—Perennial. Beautiful Gloxinia-like flowers. Sow in spring under glass, and pot off. Makes an effective plant in a warm border as its flowers are produced on long stems.

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| No. 739. | Delavayi. | Flowers lovely crimson-purple, with yellow veined throat | ... | ... | ... | 1 | 0 |
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Indian Pink (DIALYTIUS CHINENSIS).—Biennial.

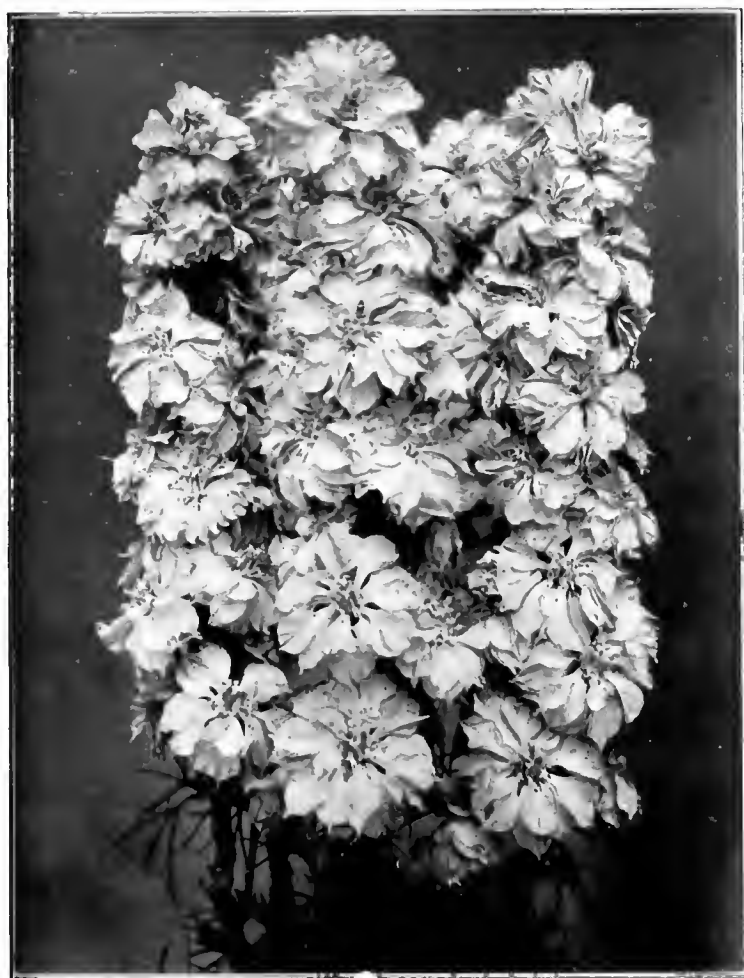
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| No. 740. | Carters Double Mixed | ... | ... | ... | ... | 3d. & | 0 | 6 |
| " 741. | Mixed single. Ordinary | ... | ... | ... | ... | 3d. & | 0 | 6 |

Ionopsidium.—Annual. Sow in pots in spring or autumn, in cool frame or greenhouse.

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| No. 742. | Acaule. | Pale lilac; for pots, edgings, or rockwork | ... | ... | ... | 0 | 6 |
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Iris (FLEUR DE LYS).—Hardy bulb.

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| No. 743. | Mixed, all sorts... | ... | ... | ... | ... | 6d. & | 1 | 0 |
| " 744. | Kämpferi. | Japanese varieties | ... | ... | ... | 1s. & | 2 | 6 |



CARTERS DWARF BEDDING LARKSPUR.

ANNUAL LARKSPURS.

The popular Larkspur of every garden. Very effective in beds. The seed should be sown in spring, in boxes, and transplanted. Can also be sown outdoors in April.

CARTERS DWARF BEDDING LARKSPUR.

These lovely annuals are quite hardy, the blooms are exceedingly handsome and most suitable for beds. Height 1 foot.

Per packet—s. d.

No. 1524.	Carters Dark Blue.	Highly commended by the R. H. S. Committee as a bedding variety ...	6d. &	1	0
„ 1525.	Carters Light Blue		6d. &	1	0
„ 1526.	Carters Deep Pink.	Highly commended by the R. H. S. Committee as a bedding variety ...	6d. &	1	0
„ 1527.	Carters Mauve		6d. &	1	0
„ 1528.	Carters Rose...		6d. &	1	0
„ 1529.	Carters White		6d. &	1	0
„ 755.	Carters Dwarf Bedding. Choice mixture of all colours		3d., 6d., &	1	0

Larkspur, Branching, Stock-flowered. 3 feet. We specially recommend these three varieties for borders, they last in bloom for a long period and are excellent for cutting.

No. 756.	Rosy Scarlet	... ..	6d. &	1	0
„ 1591.	Dark Blue	... ..	6d. &	1	0
„ 1592.	White	... ..	6d. &	1	0
„ 754.	Larkspur, Branching. Carters Mixed, for cut flowers.	2 feet	6d. &	1	0
„ 757.	„ Emperor. Carters Mixed.	2 feet	3d. &	0	6
„ 57.	„ Branching.	6 var. separate ... ..	...	1	6
„ 61.	„ Stock-flowered.	10 var. separate	2	6
„ 62.	„ Tall. Stock-flowered.	6 var. separate...	1	6
„ 63.	„ Emperor.	6 var. separate	1	6

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Per packet—s. d.

Jacobæ.—Hardy annuals. Sow in open border in spring.

No. 745.	Carters Mixed.	For pots or borders	... 3d. &	o 6
„ 746.	Crimson	... 3d. &	o 6	
„ 747.	Purple	... 3d. &	o 6	

Jacob's Ladder (POLEMONIUM CERULEUM).—Hardy perennial. Sow in spring and plant out.

No. 748.	Blue.	One of the oldest recorded British plants.	1 foot	... 3d. &	o 6
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Kaulfussia.—Hardy annual. Sow in spring where plants are to remain.

No. 749.	Amelloides.	Bright blue.	6 inches	o 3
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Lantana.—Half-hardy perennial. Sow in heat in early spring, and pot off.

No. 751.	Carters Choice Mixed.	Heliotrope-like. Beautiful colours.	2 feet	... 6d. &	1 0
„ 752.	Carters Dwarf varieties.	For pots or bedding	... 1 0		

Lapageria.—Greenhouse climber. Sow in well-drained pans of sandy peat and leaf mould in spring, under glass.

No. 753.	Rosea.	Mottled rose; wax-like	... 2 6
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Lavandula (LAVENDER).—Hardy shrubby perennial. Sow in spring, in light soil.

No. 758.	Spica.	Fragrant	... 3d. &	o 6
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Lavatera (CULTIVATED MALLOW).—Sow in spring or autumn under glass and plant out.

No. 759.	Arborea variegata.	Perennial	1s. &	2 6
„ 760.	Lavatera. Annual. Red	3d. &	o 6	
„ 761.	„ „ White	3d. &	o 6	

Leptosyne Stillmani.—Hardy annual. Beautiful bright golden-yellow flowers, blooming abundantly five to six weeks after sowing; most useful for cutting; very showy. 1½ foot.

No. 767.	o 6
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Per packet—s. d.

Leptosiphon.—Free-blooming hardy annuals. Sow in spring where plants are to grow.

No. 762.	Densiflorus albus.	White.	1½ foot	... 3d. &	o 6
„ 763.	French hybrids.	Mixed; miniature beauties.	3 inches	... 3d. &	o 6
„ 764.	French albus.	Pure white.	3 inches	... 3d. &	o 6
„ 765.	French aureus.	Golden.	3 inches	3d. &	o 6
„ 766.	French roseus.	Rose.	3 inches	3d. &	o 6

Lily of the Valley.—Sow seeds in light soil in spring.

No. 768.	Majalis.	Tuberous perennial; sweet scent.	White	... 1 0
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Limnanthes.—Annual. Good honey plants, will grow anywhere. Sow in spring.

No. 770.	Douglasi,	yellow and white; sweet scented; fine for bedding	... 3d. &	o 3
„ 771.	Grandiflora	... 3d. &	o 3	

Linaria (TOAD FLAX).—Dwarf hardy annuals, of easy culture. Sow in spring. 1 foot.

No. 769.	Cymbalaria.	Pure white. A pretty trailing plant, for hanging baskets and greenhouse walls, &c.	... 3d. &	o 6
„ 772.	Aurea reticulata.	Dark crimson scarlet with golden blotch	... 3d. &	o 6
„ 773.	Bipartita splendida;	miniature antirrhinum-like, rich purple flowers	3d. &	o 6

Linum (FLAX).—Hardy annuals. Sow in spring where plants are to grow. They also make useful pot plants if kept sturdy.

No. 774.	Scarlet.	1 foot	...	3d., 6d., &	1 0
„ 775.	Blue, bright	...	...	3d., 6d., &	1 0
„ 776.	White, pure	...	...	3d., 6d., &	1 0
„ 777.	Flavum.	Golden.	Perennial	3d., 6d., &	1 0
„ 778.	Narbonense.	Blue.	1 foot	...	...
		Perennial	...	3d., 6d., &	1 0
„ 779.	Perenne.	Blue.	2 feet	Perennial	3d., 6d., &
				3d., 6d., &	1 0

Loasa.—Annual. Climber. Sow under glass in spring, pot off, and plant out when frosts are over.

No. 780.	Aurantiaca	... 3d. &	o 3
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LOBELIA.

Very popular garden plants. The compact-growing varieties are sown in winter under glass, and transplanted into boxes for growing on to be ready by the bedding-out season. The spreading varieties are suitable for hanging baskets and window box edgings, whilst the true perennial species are grown as pot plants or single specimens in beds for summer decoration.



CARTERS COMPACT LOBELIA.



CARTERS DOUBLE-FLOWERING (see below.)
PLANTS ONLY.

COMPACT-GROWING LOBELIAS.

								Per packet—s. d.
No. 781.	Carters	Dark Compact.	Dark bloom, dark foliage, small white eye...	...	...	...	...	6d., 1s., & 2 6
" 782.	"	Light Compact.	Sky-blue flowers, light foliage	...	...	...	...	6d., 1s., & 2 6
" 783.	"	White Gem.	The best pure white	...	...	...	...	6d., 1s., & 2 6
" 784.	"	Emperor William.	Bright sky-blue, small eye	...	...	...	...	6d. & 1 0
" 785.	"	Prima Donna.	The finest and best red variety. Raised on our own farms.	Rich	...	...	...	6d. & 1 0
" 786.	Pumila	Grandiflora.	Azure blue	...	...	...	...	6d. & 1 0
" 787.	"	Magnifica.	Dark blue, very compact	...	...	...	...	6d. & 1 0
" 788.	Tom Thumb.	The smallest of all; blue	...	...	...	...	...	6d. & 1 0

SPREADING LOBELIAS.

" 789.	Carters	Perpetual.	Rich purple, white eye	...	...	...	...	6d. & 1 0
" 790.	"	speciosa.	A very popular variety; dark blue, dark foliage	...	...	...	...	6d. & 1 0
" 791.	"	"	alba. White	...	...	...	...	6d. & 1 0
" 792.	"	"	Blue King. Blue, white eye	...	...	...	...	6d. & 1 0
" 793.	"	"	Cobalt Blue. Bright colour, effective	...	...	...	...	6d. & 1 0
" 794.	"	"	Paxtoniana. Blue, shading white	...	...	...	...	6d. & 1 0
" 795.	White Ladie.	Lovely white	...	...	...	...	...	6d. & 1 0

TALL-GROWING LOBELIAS.

" 796.	Ramosa.	Blue; Australian	...	...	...	...	...	3d. & 0 6
" 797.	"	alba. White; for clumps	...	...	...	...	...	3d. & 0 6
" 798.	"	Heavenly Blue. Large flowers, bright light blue, with bold white eye	...	...	...	...	...	3d. & 0 6
" 799.	Gracilis.	Loose growing, for hanging baskets, &c.; blue	...	...	...	...	...	3d. & 0 6
" 800.	"	alba. Companion white variety; trailer	...	...	...	...	...	3d. & 0 6

PERENNIAL LOBELIAS.

" 801.	Cardinalis.	One of the handsomest perennials of the day; bright scarlet, bronze foliage.	2 feet	...	6d. & 1 0
" 1595.	Cardinalis hybrids.	Splendid vigorous large-flowered strain; colours range from pale rose through varying carmine and scarlet shades to deepest crimson and maroon	...	...	1s. & 2 6
" 802.	Cardinalis Queen Victoria.	Scarlet flowers; bronze foliage	...	...	6d. & 1 0
" 1456.	Cardinalis Robusta Grandiflora.	—3 feet. Of gigantic growth, with enormous sized brilliant scarlet flowers, giving the grandest effect	...	...	6d. & 1 0

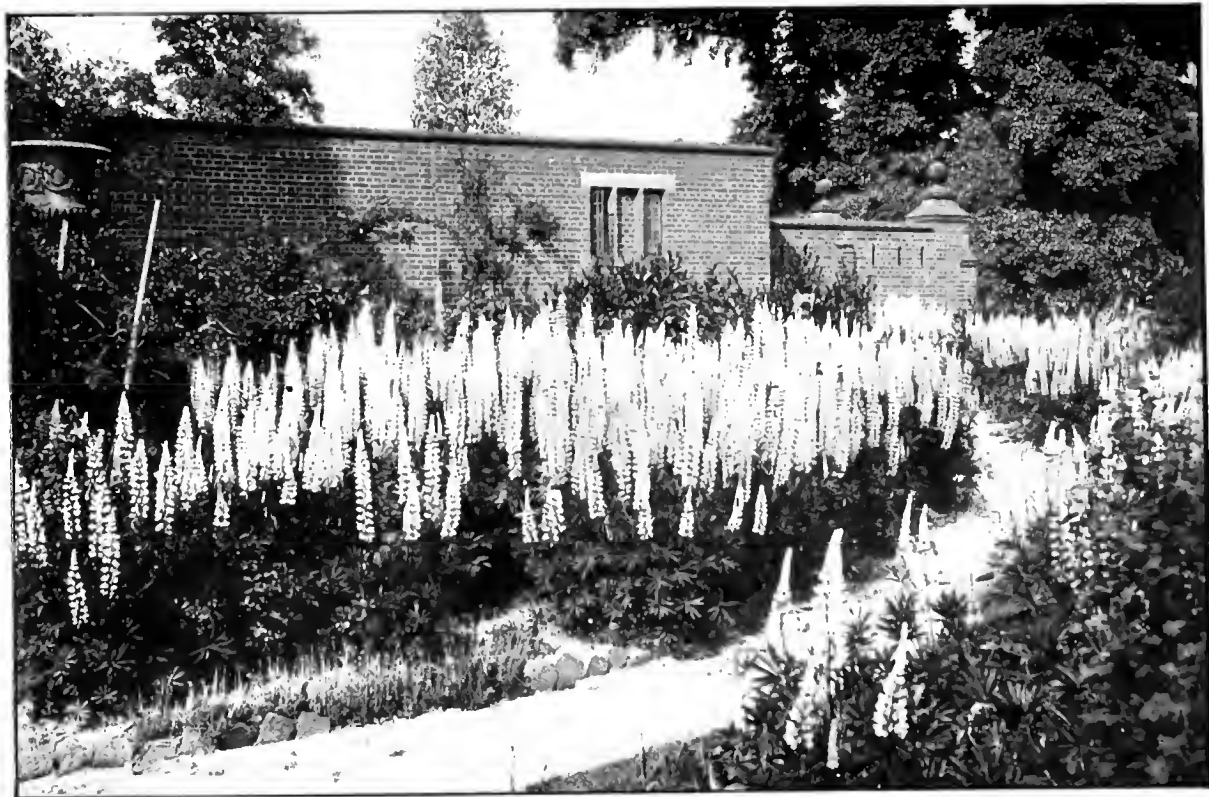
CARTERS DOUBLE-FLOWERING LOBELIA.

Flowers rich azure blue, very freely produced.

This fine introduction **does not produce seeds**, and we offer it in **plants only**. It makes a fine thing for hanging baskets, and also does well in borders, and is increased from cuttings.

Plants only, 1s. each; 10s. 6d. per doz.

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CARTERS PERENNIAL LUPINES (POLYPHYLLUS).

Lupines.—The annual kinds make a beautiful display, and are most valuable garden plants. If the spikes are cut away as flowers wither more will come on.

							Per packet—s.	d.
No. 812.	Carters Annual	Blue (HARTWEGH).	Height, 2 feet	...	...	...	3d., 6d., &	1 0
„ 813.	„	Rose	„	„	„	„	3d., 6d., &	1 0
„ 814.	„	White	„	„	„	„	3d., 6d., &	1 0
„ 815.	„	Mixed	„	„	„	„	3d., 6d., &	1 0
„ 811.	Carters Annual	Dwarf Light Blue (NANUS).	Height, 1 foot	...	...	...	3d., 6d., &	1 0
„ 816.	„	Dwarf Dark Blue (SUBCARNOSUS).	Height 1 foot	...	...	...	3d., 6d., &	1 0
„ 817.	„	Dwarf White.	Height, 1 foot	...	...	...	3d., 6d., &	1 0
„ 830.	„	Dwarf Mixed.	Height, 1 foot	...	...	...	3d., 6d., &	1 0

CARTERS PERENNIAL LUPINE.

No. 808.	Carters Perennial	Blue (POLYPHYLLUS).	Height 3 feet	...	...	...	6d. &	1 0
„ 836.	„	Rose	„	„	„	„	...	1 0
„ 809.	„	White	„	„	„	„	6d. &	1 0
„ 810.	„	Mixed	„	„	„	„	6d. &	1 0

CARTERS PERENNIAL TREE LUPINES.

No. 806.	Carters Yellow (ARBOREUS).	Height 4 feet	...	...	...	...	6d. &	1 0
„ 807.	Carters White (SNOW QUEEN).	Height 4 feet	...	...	...	...	6d. &	1 0

LOPHOSPERMUM.—Half-hardy perennial climber, with pretty rose-coloured flowers. Sow in heat, pot off, and plant out when frosts are over.

No. 803.	Scandens.	Nice pot plant	0 6
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LOVE-IN-A-MIST.—(See *Nigella*, page 186.)

No. 804.	Blue.	1 foot	3d. &	0 6
„ 1463.	Miss Jekyll.	An improved type. (See <i>Photograph</i> , page 185.)	1½ foot	6d. &	1 0

LOVE-LIES-BLEEDING (AMARANTHUS).—Annual. A popular garden plant with long crimson tassels.

No. 805.	Red.	2 feet	3d. &	0 6
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LYCHNIS.—Brilliant hardy perennials. Sow in spring, and transplant as soon as they are large enough.

No. 818.	Chalcedonica.	Bright scarlet.	3 feet	...	...	...	3d. &	0 6
„ 819.	„	alba.	Pure white	...	...	...	3d. &	0 6
„ 820.	Haageana.	Scarlet <i>Mallaise Cross</i> ; first class.	6 inches	...	...	...	3d. &	0 6

LYTHRUM.—Hardy perennial; showy for borders and moist situations.

No. 821.	Roseum Superbum.	Long spikes of bright rose-coloured flowers.	4 feet	0 3	
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CARTERS ORNAMENTAL GOURDS.



Ornamental Gourds which require about the same cultivation as Vegetable Marrows, should be largely grown in Flower Gardens and Pleasure Grounds.

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No. 701.	Gourds , mixed in great variety...	1 0
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SPECIAL REFERENCES:—

The Finest Mignonette, page 216.

Sweet Peas, Carters Large-flowered,
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The Finest White Candytuft, page 168.

Superb Pansies, pages 224 and 225.

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The Best Tomato, pages 110 and 111.

The Long Smooth-podded Runner Bean,
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The New Kale, page 22.

The Largest Podded Pea, pages 86 and 87.

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	Height, 2 to 3 feet	... 3d. & 0 6
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For other varieties, see opposite page.

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“This latter plant, although but little known, should be in the garden of every lover of sweet things. During the day it is scentless and insignificant looking, but towards dusk it emits a delicious perfume that continues all night.”—A LOVER OF SCENTED GARDENS.—**Mathiola**, *see opposite page*.

NIGHT-SCENTED STOCK (*Mathiola Bicornis*).

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SILVER KING.

FRENCH MARIGOLD.

This showy annual can be sown in spring and thinned out where expected to bloom; they may also be sown in March in boxes or pots under glass, then transplanted into other boxes, three inches apart, to make sturdy stuff for planting out in June or earlier. Marigolds are profuse bloomers, particularly so if all dead flowers are cut off.



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DWARF SINGLE-FLOWERED VARIETIES.

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No. 846.	Butterfly.	A taller growing double variety brilliantly marked and striped.	1½ foot	6d., 1s., &	2 6
„ 847.	Dwarf Golden.	Fine dwarf bedding variety.	1 foot	...	...	...	...	6d. &	1 0
„ 848.	Dwarf Orange.	Selected colour; excellent.	1 foot	...	...	...	...	6d. &	1 0
„ 849.	Dwarf Striped.	Useful for bedding or edging.	1 foot	6d. &	1 0
„ 850.	Mixed, Carters Dwarf Varieties.	All colours; for beds.	1 foot	6d. &	1 0

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No. 851.	Tall Orange.	Nice variety for cutting.	1½ foot	6d. &	1 0
„ 852.	Tall New Large-flowering.	Double striped.	1½ foot	6d. &	1 0
„ 853.	Mixed, Carters Tall Varieties.	An effective and welcome ornament to the mixed border, shrubberies, &c.	1½ foot	3d., 6d., &	1 0

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„ 856.	Lemon.	The tall garden variety ; select stock.	2 feet 6d. &	1 0.
„ 857.	Orange.	Showiest of flowers ; brilliant effect.	2 feet 6d. &	1 0.
„ 858.	Mixed, Carters Varieties.	Carefully selected.	2 feet 6d. &	1 0.

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No. 833.	Bicornis.	1 foot. This should be in every garden as it possesses a most delicious odour, especially toward evening, when it sends forth a delightful perfume, permeating the whole of the atmosphere surrounding it with its beautiful fragrance	3d., 6d., &	1 0
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A giant red-flowered variety with a delicious scent.

This fine strain is a very great improvement, and owing to its robust habit the seedlings require plenty of room, when they will make bushy plants resembling Intermediate Stocks. The spikes of bloom are larger than any other variety, and the habit much less straggling. If the seed-pods are kept pinched off, the beauty of the plant will extend over a long period, and with care in this respect will continue until cut down by frost.

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(For other varieties, see opposite page.)

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- „ 860. **Carters Victoria.**—Produces a fine shapely spike of bloom; excellent colour, highly scented ... 6d., 1s., & 1 6
- „ 861. **Crimson Giant.**—Fine hardy variety of the greatest use for general purposes. 1 foot ... 6d. & 1 0
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- „ 864. **Carters Spiral.**—First-class free-blooming variety, with long slender spikes; makes a good exhibit. 1 foot ... 6d. & 1 0
- „ 865. **Goliath.**—Magnificent blossoms; richly scented ... 6d. & 1 0
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- „ 867. **Golden Queen.**—For a long time the leading yellow variety; more branching in habit than *Golden Gem* ... 6d. & 1 0
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Half-hardy annual. To those who know only the original kind, the present magnificent specimens will come as a delightful surprise, the blossoms being of grand size and richly coloured. Besides being of service in beds and borders, they make nice pot plants.

Sow in early spring, in pans under glass, and prick off into boxes, and plant out when hardened. For pot work, the seedlings should be pricked out, and potted off in good light compost, and kept in warm frame.

Per packet—s. d.

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No. 878. **Communis.** White, fragrant ... 0 6

MYOSOTIS.—See Forget-me-Not, page 194.

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| No. 879. | Carters Golden Queen (<i>see Photograph above</i>).—Rich golden-hued foliage; very compact; flowers bright yellow; a very effective variety | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | ... | Per packet—s. d. |
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DWARF NASTURTIIUM.—*Continued.*

Nasturtiums, both climbing and dwarf, are of the easiest culture, and anyone desirous of having a display of the most brilliant flowers, without any trouble beyond sowing the seed, should select this delightful family, as they will give off their best efforts through the brightest of the summer, merely needing the seed-balls picked off. If these are permitted to mature, the beauty of the plant is soon lost.

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Those who recollect the ordinary garden Nasturtium of "sixty years since" can best appreciate the immense advance we have made in the colour, habit, and beauty of these most invaluable adjuncts to every garden; and we are gratified to think that the greater number of new varieties now in cultivation are the result of our own persistent care and attention at our **Seed Farms in Essex**, where in 1858 we raised and exhibited the Scarlet Tom Thumb variety, and received a certificate for it from the Floral Committee of the Royal Horticultural Society. They make the most elegant of edging plants to floral walks.

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No. 885.	Carters Liliput.	An extra dwarf, floriferous variety; all colours mixed	...	1	6	3d., 6d., & 1 0

ORDINARY GREEN FOLIAGE NASTURTIIUMS.

No. 886.	Tom Thumb	Crimson.	Dense maroon crimson	...	...	...	...	...	1	0	3d. & 0 6
" 887.	"	"	Crystal Palace Gem.	Pale sulphur, with a carmine spot	...	...	...	...	1	0	3d. & 0 6
" 888.	"	"	Pearl.	Light cream, nearly white	...	...	...	...	1	0	3d. & 0 6
" 889.	"	"	Rose.	Rose colour, with a bluish tint	...	...	...	...	1	0	3d. & 0 6
" 890.	"	"	Scarlet.	The freest bloomer of all this section	...	...	...	...	1	0	3d. & 0 6
" 891.	"	"	Spotted.	Dark orange, with chocolate spot	...	...	...	...	1	0	3d. & 0 6
" 892.	"	"	Yellow.	Fine, clear yellow ; good bedder	1	0	3d. & 0 6
" 893.	Carters Dwarf Mixed (Tom Thumb).			All the best colours	1	0	3d. & 0 6

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No. 894.	Chameleon.	Flamed, and beautifully marked	1	6	3d., 6d., & 1 0
" 895.	Golden King.	Beautiful rich dark gold colour	1	6	3d., 6d., & 1 0
" 896.	King Theodore.	Intensely dark crimson or chocolate	...	...	1	6	3d., 6d., & 1 0
" 897.	Ladybird.	Golden colour, with scarlet spot	...	...	1	6	3d., 6d., & 1 0
" 898.	Ruby King.	Ruby rose, novelty in colour	1	6	3d., 6d., & 1 0
" 899.	Spotted King.	Rich golden yellow, with crimson spot	1	6	3d., 6d., & 1 0
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		Per oz.—s.	d.	Per pkt.—s.	d.
No. 901.	Crimson. —A very attractive colour	..	1 0	3d. &	0 6
„ 902.	Scarlet. —Dazzling brightness	..	1 0	3d. &	0 6
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„ 904.	Yellow. —Rich and shining	..	1 0	3d. &	0 6
„ 905.	Carters choice mixed , all shades	1 0	3d. &	0 6	

ORDINARY CLIMBING NASTURTIUM.

		Per oz.—s.	d.	Per pkt.—s.	d.
No. 906.	Dark Varieties ...	0 9	3d. &	0 6	
„ 907.	Light Varieties	0 9	3d. &	0 6	
„ 908.	Mixed Tall , all shades	..	0 9	3d. &	0 6
„ 909.	Defiance. A new variety; deep crimson-scarlet; leaves blue-green	6d. &	1 0
„ 910.	Brilliant. Crimson-scarlet	6d. &	1 0		
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NEMESIA, CARTERS LARGE FLOWERED.

NEMESIA.

Half-hardy annual. Nearly related to the *Linaria*; free-blooming dwarf bushes, for pot culture and open borders. Sow in spring under glass, and transplant; or sow out of doors in May, in patches, where they are intended to flower.

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Gained an Award of Merit of the Royal Horticultural Society.

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- No. 923. **Depressa.** Covered with small scarlet berries; for pots. 2 inches 1 0

NIEREMBERGIA.—Half-hardy perennial. For hanging baskets. Sow in spring, and pot off.

- No. 933. **Gracilis.** Delicate silver lavender, like miniature *Petunias* ... 1 0

NIGELLA.—See page 186.

MYCTERINIA.—Half-hardy annual.

- No. 1539. **Selaginoides Alba.** Beautiful white flowers, sweet-scented. Height, 3 inches .. 3d. & 0 6

ÆNOTHERA.—See Evening Primrose, page 195.

OXALIS.—Hardy bulbous perennial. Seeds should be sown in spring, in pans, and transplanted when large enough.

- No. 934. **Rosea.** Delightful pot plant; bright rose, 4 inches ... 0 6
- No. 935. **Tropæoloides.** Bronze-leaved, Shamrock; for rockeries, &c. ... 0 6

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 „ 940. „ **van Volxemi.** Crimson; greenhouse ... 6d. & 1 0

PELARGONIUM.—See *Geranium*, page 198.

PERILLA.—Ornamental foliaged hardy annual. Raise seedlings in heat, prick off into boxes, harden off, and plant out in June.

- No. 945. **Compact Curled.** Rich colour; dark purple foliage. 1 foot ... 6d. & 1 0
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- | No. | Variety | Per packet—s. d. |
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| 956. | Carters Blue. —True blue; distinct shade; very large | 6d. & 1 0 |
| „ 957. | „ Jet Black. —The first and best; rich velvet texture; extra fine strain | 6d. & 1 0 |
| „ 958. | „ Pure White. —A lovely flower, without eye; very pure | 6d. & 1 0 |
| „ 959. | „ Rich Yellow. —Bright, rich, and pure; a very effective shade | 6d. & 1 0 |
| „ 960. | „ Rich Maroon Red. —A beautiful and showy thing; quite distinct | 6d. & 1 0 |
| „ 961. | „ Rich Purple. —Large and showy; bold massive flowers; very fine | 6d. & 1 0 |
| „ 962. | Royal Standard. —Golden Yellow... .. | 6d. & 1 0 |
| „ 963. | Emperor William. —Blue, with dark eye... .. | 6d. & 1 0 |
| „ 967. | Mixed Pansy. —Ordinary | 3d., 6d., & 1 0 |

It is now more than half a century since the late Mr. James Carter took this plant in hand with a view to its improvement in size and range of colourings, and one of our earliest successes was *Jet Black Pansy* (see No. 957). We also introduced the *Peacock Pansy* (see No. 951). Both are still amongst the best in cultivation.

Cultivation.—The Pansy will succeed in any soil that is not too hot and dry, and if a special compost is made for them it should consist of one-third rich loam, one-third leaf mould, and one-third well-decayed dung. In early spring the seed should be sown in frames or in boxes for summer and autumn blooming, and later on sowings may be made about July out of doors in a partially shaded place, transplanting in October or November into where they are intended to flower the following season. The final position should be an open one, and the plants not less than 6 inches apart. There should be no check in their progress either by cold winds, very hard frosts, or long droughts. Nor should they be watered during the hottest months with very cold water. We have classed each type so that Pansy lovers have an opportunity of securing a large and varied choice, all representing the very best strains in cultivation.

International Prize Pansy.—“I have grown the above Pansy for 3 years and have had blooms this spring 4½ inches across. They have been admired by all who have seen them.”—Mr. H. SLOCOMBE, The Gardens, The Rockery.

International Prize Pansy.—“The above are the admiration of all who see them.”—The Rev. J. NEAL, Kingsdon Manor.

Pansies.—“The ones we had last year are lovely and admired by everyone.”—Mr. R. COX, Fairford.

“Mrs. DENNEY wishes to tell Messrs. Carter what a great success her Pansies, from their seed, have been.”

“The Pansies I got from you last year have turned out lovely.”—Mr. D. MCKICHAN, Garelockhead.

“I am enclosing a few blooms of your International Prize Pansies grown from seed supplied by your firm; they are very beautiful again this year and have been very much admired by all that have seen them.”—Mr. W. EDWARDS, Grove Lodge.

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CARTERS EMPRESS PETUNIA.

Carters Empress Petunia for Conservatory or Bedding.—We have been many years perfecting this magnificent type, which now embraces many delicate shades of colour, the majority taking the lovely form as shown in the photograph above, which represents a natural bloom. The elegant pencilling in the throat is quite a feature of this modern introduction. It also possesses such a robust but compact habit that it is valuable as a bedding plant, where the fine flowers have a rich effect.

No. 968.—Price per packet, 1s., 1s. 6d., 2s. 6d., and 5s. each.

(For other Petunias see opposite page.)

Carters Seedsmen by Appointment to His Majesty the King—High Holborn, London.

CARTERS GRAND STRAINS OF PETUNIA.

As frequently exhibited at the Royal Horticultural Society Shows, and awarded, in conjunction with other Improved Flowers,

MANY SILVER CUPS AND HIGHEST PRIZE MEDALS.

CARTERS EMPRESS STRAIN.—*See opposite page.*

Carters Emperor Strain of Single Petunia, for Conservatory or Bedding.—A great improvement upon the old-fashioned Petunia; flowers twice as large, some self-coloured, others parti-coloured. A bed of these is an object of great beauty during summer, and they are equally effective as pot plants for the winter decoration of the conservatory.

No. 977.—**All colours, mixed,** price 1s., 1s. 6d., 2s. 6d., and 5s. per packet.

No. 969. Purple Prince. —Rich velvety, with scalloped edge.	No. 973. Queen of Roses. —Rich cerise; very chaste.
„ 970. Crimson King. —Very showy; rich.	„ 974. Laced and Fringed. —Very pretty, deep fringed edges.
„ 971. Clematis Blue. —Rare shades of light and dark blue.	„ 975. White Pearl. —Very pure and fragrant.
„ 972. Green Bordered. —A very curious combination of purple and green.	„ 976. Striped. —Effective and showy.

Each of the above, price 1s., 1s. 6d., and 2s. 6d. per packet.

No. 63.—**Six varieties** (small packets), 5s.

Per packet—s. d.

No. 980. Carters New Marbled. —The largest blossoms are of great beauty; in four colours, beautifully blended	... ..	1s 6d & 2 6
No. 981. Carters Holborn Star. —A new and attractive bedding Petunia of the character of <i>Inimitable</i> , with stars on a background of richest purple crimson; compact and floriferous	... ..	6d., 1s., & 1 6
No. 982. Countess of Ellesmere. Rose with white Throat	... ..	6d. & 1 0
„ 983. Compacta Grandiflora. A mixture of delicate shades	... ..	6d. & 1 0

Per packet—s. d.

No. 984.	Mixed Ordinary varieties	6d. &	1 0	No. 987.	Dark Violet	...	...	...	6d. &	1 0
„ 985.	Morning Star.	Carmine rose with		„ 988.	Striped	...	...	...	6d. &	1 0
	white star	...	...	„ 989.	White	...	...	...	6d. &	1 0
„ 986.	Crimson	...	...					

No. 979. **Carters Splendid Double Petunia.**—A superb mixture, producing from 25 to 40 per cent. of double flowers.

Per packet, 1s., 1s. 6d., 2s. 6d., and 5s. each.

PETUNIAS.

“Last year I took First Prize for your Single Petunias in open competition.”—Mr. J. W. JONES, Pembroke Dock.

“It may interest you to know that a bed of Petunia grown from your seed was much admired this summer, and has continued to be a mass of flowers until to-day, October 18th, when 12 degrees of frost brought their gay display to a conclusion.”

—L. T. PAWLE, Esq., Rowsham.

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PHLOX DRUMMONDI. CARTERS ANNUAL LARGE FLOWERED.

The great advance recently made in both the size and colourings of this popular annual should ensure its again becoming a favourite for growth in beds and borders. It makes a most effective edging if the growths of the taller types are kept pegged down. Another point of importance in the culture of this pretty flower is the fact that it does not like being watered with cold pipe water, especially overhead; it spoils the foliage and ruins the truss. This section may be expected to reach the height of 1 foot.

CARTERS LARGE-FLOWERING PHLOX (*see Photograph above*).

No.		Per packet	s.	d.	No.		Per packet	s.	d.
997.	Carminc, bright and effective	... 6d. &	1	0	1004.	Rose, White Eye ...	... 6d. &	1	0
998.	Pink, soft and delicate	... 6d. &	1	0	1005.	White, Dark Eye ...	... 6d. &	1	0
999.	Marbled, a curious combination	... 6d. &	1	0	1006.	Purple, White Eye ...	... 6d. &	1	0
1000.	Rose ...	... 6d. &	1	0	1007.	Scarlet, White Eye ...	... 6d. &	1	0
1001.	Scarlet ...	... 6d. &	1	0	1008.	Carters Choicest mixed			
1002.	White ...	... 6d. &	1	0			6d., 1s., 1s. 6d., &	2	6
1003.	Yellow, the nearest approach	... 6d. &	1	0	1009.	Collection of 6 colours, separate			
							special packets	2	6

978. **Crown Prince,** a salmony scarlet; most brilliant ... 6d. & 1s. per packet.

CARTERS DWARF LARGE-FLOWERING PHLOX.



CARTERS LARGE-FLOWERED DWARF PHLOX.

The Plants are of compact and dwarf habit, forming masses of flowers from 9 to 12 inches across, most suitable for edging and borders. Height, 6 inches.

No.		Per packet—s.	d.	No.		Per packet—s.	d.
1010.	Carters Blue, white eye	...	6d. & 1 0	1010.	Collection of 6 Colours, separate	...	...
1011.	Carters Crimson ...	...	6d. & 1 0		6 inches ...	...	special packets 2 6
1012.	Carters Pink ..	...	6d. & 1 0	1017.	Star varieties, with white margin;	...	...
1013.	Carters Carmine ...	...	6d. & 1 0		long points in star form.	1 foot, 6d. &	1 0
1014.	Carters Pure White ...	...	6d. & 1 0	1018.	Good mixed. Fine, bright colours.	...	...
1015.	Carters Dwarf Choice mixed.	...	...		1 foot ...	...	3d., 6d., & 1 0
	A splendid mixture of all shades	...	...	66.	Collection, 12 varieties.	1 foot	...
	6d., 1s., 1s. 6d., &	...	2 6		small packets	...	2 6

Phlox Decussata.—Hardy perennial. Height, 2 to 3 feet.

No. 1019.	Perennial, mixed.	All best varieties ...	...	...	...	...	6d. & 1 0
„ 67.	Collection, 12 varieties	...	...	...	...	...	small packets 3 6

PHACELIA.—Hardy annual. Sow in spring in open air, and transplant.

No. 990.	Campanularia.	Ultramarine blue; a most showy deep blue flower, beautiful for beds and edgings.	...	...	...	...	...
	1 foot	...	...	...	...	...	6d. & 1 0

PHORMIUM (NEW ZEALAND FLAX).—Easily raised from seed sown in pans of light soil under glass in spring. Pot off seedlings when large enough to handle.

No. 991.	Tenax,	Grand foliage; sub-tropical	...	...	...	...	...
„ 992.	Tenax variegata.	Gold striped	...	...	...	...	1s. & 2 6

PHYSALIS (WINTER CHERRY).—Sow *P. edulis* in pots in warm house, pot off and grow against wall in cool house. *P. Francheti* may be sown out of doors in spring.

No. 993.	Edulis (Cape Gooseberry).	Pots or borders	...	...	...	...	6d. & 1 0
„ 994.	Francheti (Chinese Lantern Plant).	First class for decorative purposes	6d. & 1 0

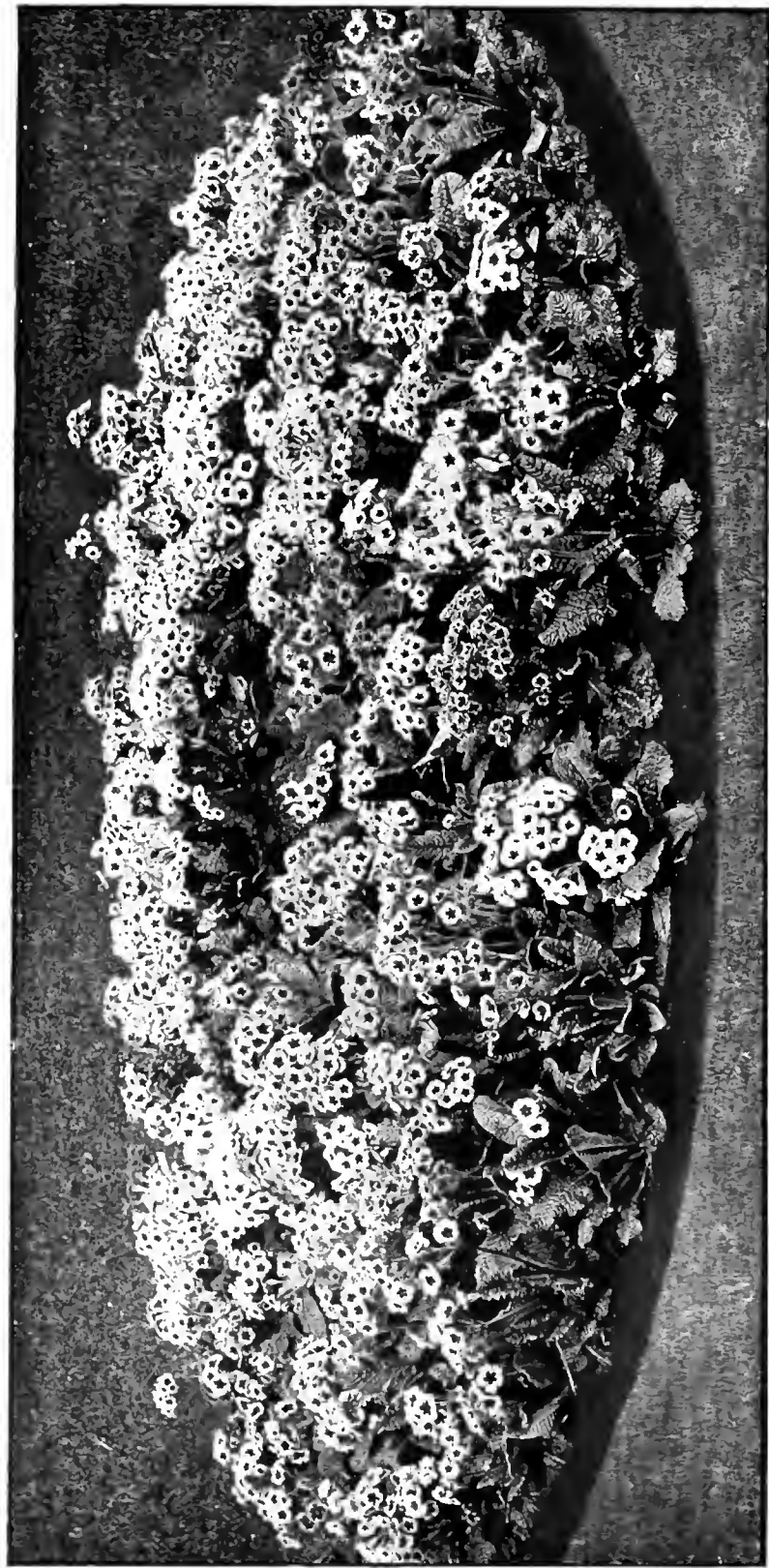
PINK.

No. 995.	Mrs. Sinkins.	Double white. Sweetly scented	6d., 1s., & 2 6
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PLATYSTEMON.—Hardy annual. Sow in spring in patches where they are to grow, and thin out.

No. 996.	Californicus.	Delightful lemon colour, delicate foliage	0 6
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A BED OF CARTERS CLUSTER POLYANTHUS PRIMROSES.

THE STRAIN GROWN IN THE ROYAL LONDON PARKS.

Polyanthus Cluster Primrose.

The superb strain we here offer of these lovely spring flowers improves in extent of colours each year, and there is no other flower which produces such a chaste, brilliant, and enduring effect during the early spring months, either singly or in masses in beds, about the same time as the Hyacinths and Tulips. Sow in spring or summer, in prepared seed bed, and transplant when large enough.

No.	Carters	Dark shades, mixed.	A grand mixture, including all shades of crimson, purples, rosy lilacs, and scarlets...	Per packet—s. d.
No. 1020.				
			...	6d. & 1 0
" 1021.	Carters	Golden and White	...	6d. & 1 0
" 1022.	Carters	Dark Crimson	...	6d. & 1 0

No.	Carters	All Colours, mixed	Per packet—s. d.
No. 1023.			
		...	6d., 1s., 1s. 6d., & 2 6
" 1025.	Gold	Edged. All Colours, dark and light, edged and laced with gold	...
		...	6d., 1s., & 2 6
" 1027.	Mixed	ordinary varieties	...
		...	3d., 6d., & 1 0

"Your Polyanthus of last year's seeds are lovely just now in a sheltered border, the Whites and Yellows are truly magnificent. The Candytuft, *Hyacinth-flowered*, was splendid with me last year."—Miss MILLER, Ardview.

"Your Calceolarias are again a gorgeous sight and I am very proud of the show, I have been asked as a favour to grow a dozen to potting off size, and I hope many will order from you."—Mrs. TOWERS, Mynors.



CARTERS GARDEN PRIMROSE.

The Primrose is one of those plants that resents too much coddling, and sometimes when great care is taken over the seeds they refuse to grow. The simplest plan is to sow them in the open ground, in a partially shaded place, from May to July. Just scratch the seed in with a rake and firm the surface, when under the influence of genial showers they will soon come up. The Blue Primrose may be sown in borders at the same season.

						Per packet—s. d.
No. 1028.	Primrose, Blue.	A great novelty in blue, of various shades	..	...	...	1s., 1s. 6d., & 2 6
„ 1029.	Primrose, Carters Choice Mixed.	A mixture of all obtainable colours, continually improved				
	by cross fertilisation	...	...	...	...	6d., 1s., & 1 6
„ 1030.	Primrose, Yellow.	The lovely Old English Primrose of the Woods	...	...	...	3d., 6d., & 1 0

GOLD MEDAL FOR SWEET PEAS.

The Large Gold Medal (1911) of the National Sweet Pea Society was again awarded to Carters Large Flowered Sweet Pea.

“I like to tell you that the Sweet Pea seeds I had from you in the spring have done splendidly. When all the neighbourhood are complaining of such a bad Sweet Pea season, they are 8 feet high and full of bloom.”—MRS. EDEN.

“I have ordered my Sweet Peas from you, as a packet I had from you last year was the best mixed packet sent me, when I tried selections from several leading firms.”—MRS. H. V. BASTOW.

POPPY (PAPAYER), SINGLE ANNUAL VARIETIES.



Carters "Shirley" Poppy (SILK OR GHOST POPPY).—This lovely garden annual Poppy has probably received its various names from its delicate texture and almost shadowy forms. The shades of colour are endless and we again offer a strain of unusual beauty, which has been rigidly selected from the stock of the original nominator, the Rev. W. WILKS, Secretary to the Royal Horticultural Society. It makes a delightful border plant, and is fine for sowing at the sides of grassy walks or along paths where nature's growths give a wilderness-like effect to the surroundings.

No. 1031. Price per packet, 6d., 1s., and 1s. 6d.

OTHER SINGLE ANNUAL POPPIES.

		Per packet—s. d.
No. 1047.	Peacock (<i>paeonium or umbrosum</i>).—Charming miniature blossom; crimson with black spot. 1 foot	... 6d. & 1 0
„ 1048.	Tulip (GLAUCUM).—A bijou variety	... 6d. & 1 0
„ 1050.	Victoria Cross .—A variety of remarkable beauty; scarlet with broad white cross	... 6d. & 1 0
„ 1051.	Carters Superb Annual Poppies . A mixture of all sorts and colours; single and double	3d., 6d., 1s., 1s. 6d., & 2 6

Carters Seedsmen by Appointment to His Majesty the King—11, High Holborn, London.

POPPY (PAPAYER), DOUBLE ANNUAL VARIETIES.

These showy hardy flowers continue to absorb the attention of the greatest number of amateur gardeners, and deserve the position from their varied and intrinsic beauty. Sow thinly in patches, rows, or beds in spring where the plants are intended to bloom during early summer. The show may be extended if the seed pods are kept cut off. When used as cut flowers, they should be picked early in the morning before opening out.

PÆONY-FLOWERED GIANT.

(See Photograph.)

		Per packet—s.	d.
No. 1033.	Rich scarlet	6d. & 1	0
„ 1034.	Bright lilac	6d. & 1	0
„ 1035.	Pure white	6d. & 1	0
„ 1499.	Pink ...	6d. & 1	0
„ 1500.	White, striped scarlet ...	6d. & 1	0
„ 1036.	Carters Choice Mixed ...	6d. & 1	0

Carters Picotee.—A worthy companion to the *Shirley*. Mostly semi-double, of brilliant markings and variegations.

No. 1032	...	3d., 6d., & 1	0
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CARTERS GIANT PÆONY-FLOWERED POPPY.

CARTERS NEW FEATHERED POPPY. Each blossom gives the appearance of a ball of finely cut feathers. Height, 2 feet.

In three colours; 1501, **white**; 1502, **light rose**; 1503, **salmon rose**. Per packet, 1s. each.

		Per packet—s.	d.
No. 1037.	Double Carnation. —A very beautiful type; rich pink ...	6d. & 1	0
„ 1038.	Double Carnation. — Mixed	6d. & 1	0
„ 1039.	Carters Scarlet Cardinal. —A magnificent Poppy, the petals being dense and delicately cut; rich scarlet ...	6d. & 1	0
„ 1024.	Carters Rose Cardinal. —A lovely rose shade, elegantly fringed ...	6d. & 1	0
„ 1040	Cardinal Hybrids. —New variations of colour ...	6d. & 1	0
„ 1041.	Japanese Dwarf Double. —Dwarf compact; brilliant flowers. 1 foot	6d. & 1	0
„ 1012.	Double Mixed. —A bed of these makes a grand display ...	3d., 6d., & 1	0

		Per packet—s.	d.
No. 1043.	Double Scarlet. —A selected colour	3d. & 0	6
„ 1044.	French (PAPAYER RIDES FL. PL.)—Known as the Ranunculus Poppy. 1½ foot	3d. & 0	6
„ 1045.	French Scarlet. —Useful in small gardens ...	3d. & 0	6
„ 1046.	Mikado. —Double scarlet, with white edgings. 1½ foot ...	3d. & 0	6
„ 1049.	White Swan. —Double; pure white, delicately cut and fringed... ..	3d. & 0	6
„ 1051.	Carters Superb Annual Poppies. —A mixture of all sorts and colours ...	3d., 6d., 1s., 1s. 6d., & 2	0

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POPPY.—Continued.

Iceland Poppy.—The merits of this species are great; of easy growth, adapted for pot or garden work, first class as cut flowers, and neat in appearance 1 foot.

Sow in patches where plants are to bloom, or in prepared seed bed, and transplant. They make good rockery plants.

		Per packet—s.	d.
No. 1052.	Iceland, Carters Choice Mixed. All the colours ...	1s. &	2 6
„ 1053.	„ Golden. Pale golden, 6d., 1s., &	2 6	
„ 1054.	„ Orange. Terra-cotta, 6d., 1s., &	2 6	
„ 1055.	„ Rose. Tinted rose 6d., 1s., &	2 6	
„ 1056.	„ White. Pure white, 6d., 1s., &	2 6	

		Per packet—s.	d.
No. 1057.	Oriental, Scarlet (<i>Papaver orientale</i>). This is the gorgeous Perennial Poppy of the carriage drive and shrubbery; scarlet and black. 2 feet ...	6d. &	1 0
„ 1058.	Oriental, Mixed. Different colours	6d. &	1 0
„ 1059.	Bracteatum. Orange-scarlet. 2 feet ...	... 0 6	
	Potentilla (CINQUEFOIL). — Hardy herbaceous perennials. Average height, 1 foot. Sow in prepared seed-bed, and transplant.		
No. 1062.	Double varieties. Novel colours,	1s. &	2 6
„ 1063.	Single varieties. Mixed ...	6d. &	1 0

**PORTULACA, LARGE FLOWERED.**

(See Photograph.)

Half-hardy annuals. Both the double and single are specially adapted for rock-work and covering the ground-work of large beds. These plants delight in a sunny aspect, and are extremely useful for edging purposes. Height, 6 inches.

Sow seed in drills on a warm border about the end of April, or in pans or boxes in spring, in warm frame, prick off and plant out when frosts are over.

		Per packet—s.	d.
No. 1061.	Single. Carters Large Flowered Mixed, specially saved ...	1s. &	2 6
„ 69.	Carters Large Flowered Single Portulaca. 8 varieties, separate ...	... 2 6	

		Per packet—s.	d.
No. 1060.	Double. Carters Large Flowered Mixed; high-class ...	1s. &	2 6
„ 70.	Carters Large Flowered Double Portulaca. 6 varieties, separate 2 6	

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CARTERS PRIMULA PRINCESS MAY.

No. 1065.—A dainty pink colour, with enormous blooms of great substance, fine truss, and a robust grower.

We consider that our *Princess May*, *Carters Coral*, and *King Edward* are the three finest Primulas grown.

1s. 6d., 2s. 6d., 3s. 6d., and 5s. per packet.



CARTERS PRIZE SINGLE MIXED PRIMULA - A GRAND MIXTURE OF ALL THE BEST COLOURS. PER PACKET, 2.6, 3.6 & 5.-.

No.

1073.

CARTERS PRIZE SINGLE MIXED PRIMULA (*see Photograph*

opposite).—This splendid mixture contains all the finest varieties and most beautiful forms of this popular greenhouse annual for which our house has long been famous. Several new seedling forms and art shades are introduced this year, in addition to the choicest standard varieties. All varieties not of the highest merit are rigorously excluded, with the result that this mixture will be found unsurpassable for the compactness and vigour of the plants and the beauty and variety of the individual blossoms. When pricking out the seedlings, care should be taken not to discard the smaller plantlets, as these frequently produce some of the newest and most delicate shades 2s. 6d., 3s. 6d., & 5 0

1504.

CARTERS HOLBORN CRESTED.—A very distinct and beautiful Primula of the (Giant section, the result of a cross between *King Edward* and *Holborn Ruby*. The large pink flowers, beautifully fringed, carried on a fine truss thrown up well from the vigorous green crested foliage, make it a unique variety from all other Primulas... .. 2s. 6d., 3s. 6d., & 5 0

1464.

CARTERS HOLBORN CORAL.—This Giant Primula is the result of a cross between *Princess May* and *Holborn Salmon*. The trusses of rich coral red flowers of immense substance and size, with a beautiful light green eye, together with a strong habit and dark green foliage, make it a very valuable addition to our Giant type of Primulas... .. 2s. 6d., 3s. 6d., & 5 0

1068.

CARTERS KING EDWARD.—The finest White Primula we have yet seen. The flowers possess immense substance, and are well thrown up 1s. 6d., 2s. 6d., 3s. 6d., & 5 0

1064.

Carters Vermilion.—High class, rich colour 1s. 6d., 2s. 6d., 3s. 6d., & 5 0

1067.

Carters Salmon.—Immense size and lovely colour 1s. 6d., 2s. 6d., 3s. 6d., & 5 0

1069.

Carters Ruby.—Brilliant crimson rose, fern leaved 1s. 6d., 2s. 6d., 3s. 6d., & 5 0

1070.

Carters Crimson.—Excellent habit and brilliant colour 1s. 6d., 2s. 6d., 3s. 6d., & 5 0

1071.

Carters Blue.—The First Class Certificate of the Royal Horticultural Society was granted to our House for this grand break in colour 1s. 6d., 2s. 6d., 3s. 6d., & 5 0

1072.

Carters White Elaine.—Grand truss, dark palm foliage; robust, 1s. 6d., 2s. 6d., 3s. 6d., & 5 0

1505.

Orange King.—A beautiful orange salmon; but not the size and substance of our Giant type 2s. 6d., 3s. 6d., & 5 0

1465.

The Duchess.—White with zone of rosy-carmine 1s. 6d., 2s. 6d., 3s. 6d., & 5 0

1074.

Carters Bouquet Primula.—This curious and beautiful type produces its flowers directly from the base or stool of the plant in the manner of the common Primrose, these flowers being surrounded with a leafy calyx, in which they remain fixed for a long time. In addition to this peculiarity, the plant, as growth advances, throws up a centre stem in which several of these tightly fixed flowers appear, being surrounded with a crested leafy growth 1s. 6d., 2s. 6d., 3s. 6d., & 5 0

SINGLE PRIMULAS OF EARLIER INTRODUCTION.

1075	Carters Carmine. —A lovely rich colour 1s. 6d., 2s. 6d., 3s. 6d., & 5 0
1076	Carters White Queen. —Pale green foliage 1s. 6d., 2s. 6d., 3s. 6d., & 5 0
1077	Carters Rose. —A really pure rose colour of exceptional size 1s. 6d., 2s. 6d., 3s. 6d., & 5 0
1078	Carters Striped. —Very prettily marked 1s. 6d., 2s. 6d., 3s. 6d., & 5 0
1080	Single mixed colours 1 6

CARTERS DOUBLE PRIMULAS.

1s., 2s. 6d., and 3s. 6d. per packet.

No 1081.	Carters "Carmine Empress." Rich colour, the deepest of all the double varieties.	No. 1084.	Carters "Lilac Queen." Remarkably free bloomer.
„ 1082.	Carters "Daybreak." Colour varying from apricot to terra-cotta.	„ 1085.	Carters "Snowflake." A useful variety for early blooms.
„ 1083.	Carters "Dark Rose" (Prince of Wales).	„ 1086.	Carters "Striped." Prettily striped and flaked.
No. 1087.	Collection of above 6 Choice varieties, in separate packets, 5s.		
„ 1088.	Carters Prize "Double" Primula, Superb Mixture, 1s., 2s. 6d., and 3s. 6d. per packet.		
„ 1089.	Carters Prize "Fern-Leaved" Single Primula, Mixed, 1s. and 2s. 6d. per packet.		

Culture.—Sow in pans of finely sifted soil in spring, and pot off singly into thumb pots when large enough to handle. They require to be raised in heat and kept growing in cool house or frame through the summer. A cool bottom for pots to stand on is essential. Use a compost of leaf mould and rich fibrous loam when shifting into larger pots.

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Carters Primula Stellata (STAR PRIMULA). See Photograph above. This is both delightful and graceful when in flower, and it makes a useful decorative plant on the conservatory stage in spring. Free flowering. Treatment for *Primula sinensis* will suit this species well.

			Per packet—s. d.				Per packet—s. d.
No. 1466.	Carters Blue	...	1s. 6d., 2s. 6d., & 3 6	No. 1506.	Carters Pink	...	1s. 6d., 2s. 6d., & 3 6
" 1090.	Carters Lilac	...	1s. 6d., 2s. 6d., & 3 6	" 1467.	Carters Salmon	...	1s. 6d., 2s. 6d., & 3 6
" 1091.	Carters Crimson	...	1s. 6d., 2s. 6d., & 3 6	" 1092.	Carters White	...	1s. 6d., 2s. 6d., & 3 6
No. 1093.	Carters Superb Mixed , all shades ...			...	1s. 6d., 2s. 6d., & 3s. 6d. per packet.		

Carters Seedsman by Appointment to His Majesty the King—High Holborn, London.

Per packet—s. d.

Primula, HARDY VARIETIES.—Perennial.

Sow in pans in cool frame, and prick off into boxes, then transplant. *Primula obconica* should be sown in heat, potted off, and grown in warm frames for conservatory decoration and cut flowers.

- No. 1094. **Cortusoides.** Bright, for pots or rockeries. 6 inches... .. 0 6
 „ 1095. **Japonica.** A valuable subject for damp situations. With tiers of bloom. 1 foot 1s. & 2 6
 „ 1596. **Japonica hybrids.** This unique strain contains numerous new shades 1s. & 2 6
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" 1125.	Splendens.	Crimson perennial, for pots. 1½ foot	6d. &	1	0
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,, 1132.		,,	White, with gold stripe.	2 feet	6d. &	1	0	
,, 1133.		,,	Purple, with yellow stripe.	2 feet	6d. &	1	0	
,, 1134.		,,	Mixed Varieties. 2 feet	6d. &	1	0	
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SANVITALIA. Hardy annual.												
No. 1137.		Procumbens.	Yellow, dark centre; spreads freely.	6 inches	0	3	
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SAPONARIA. —Hardy annual. For edging, rockeries, &c. Sow where intended to flower.												
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,, 1140.		Calabrica.	The old favourite; rose	3d. &	0	6	
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Carters Large-flowered Dwarf Double.—

	1½ foot.	Per packet	s.	d.
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„ 1145.	Carters Carmine ...	6d. &	1	0
„ 1146.	Carters Purple ...	6d. &	1	0
„ 1147.	Carters Rose ...	6d. &	1	0
„ 1148.	Carters White ...	6d. &	1	0
„ 1149.	Carters Mixed , all colours ...	6d. &	1	0

Carters Large-flowered Tall Double.—

	2½ feet.	Per packet—s.	d.
No. 1509.	Carters Cherry Red ...	6d. &	1 0
„ 1150.	Carters Blue ...	6d. &	1 0
„ 1151.	Carters White ...	6d. &	1 0
„ 1152.	Carters Black ...	6d. &	1 0
„ 1153.	Carters Flesh ...	6d. &	1 0
„ 1154.	Carters Fiery Scarlet ...	6d. &	1 0
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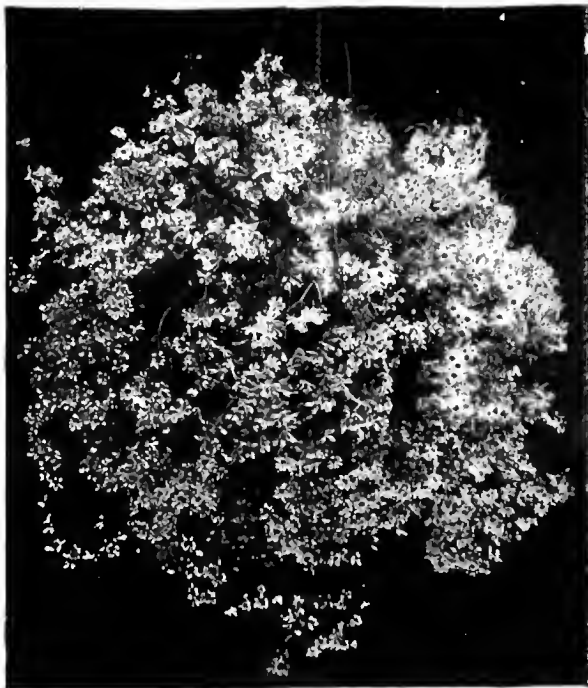
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Culture of Schizanthus in Baskets.—

Seed should be sown in July, August, or September in well-drained boxes or pans in a compost of three parts sandy loam, one part leaf soil, one-sixth part silver sand, all run through a $\frac{1}{2}$ -in. sieve. The boxes should then be filled with the mixture to within $\frac{1}{2}$ -inch of the top and given a good watering in preparation for the seed, which should be sown evenly and covered with sufficient soil to bury the seed. Then place the boxes in a cold frame or greenhouse, covering them with paper to keep the light from them until the seedlings appear, when the shading may be removed. Bright sunlight must be avoided at this stage. When the seedlings are ready to pot, they should be placed singly in thumb pots, well drained, and returned to the frame or greenhouse close to the glass; water should not be given for a day or two if the soil is in a moist condition, but a light syringing is beneficial on bright days. When the plants are two inches high, take out the points to encourage lateral growth, and as this advances place neat little stakes to the plants. When the pots are full of roots they should be transferred into 48's or 50's and returned to the greenhouse for the winter. Plenty of air must be given at all times, and the temperature should be 50° by day and 45° at night. About the end of February the plants will be ready for baskets. The number of plants depend on the size of the basket; 12-in., 15-in., 18-in. are the most suitable sizes of baskets. A 12-in. will take six plants, five round and one in the centre, and the other sizes in proportion; the baskets should be well lined with moss and filled with a compost of three parts fibrous loam, one part well-rotted manure and silver sand, with a little dusting of bone meal. They should now be suspended below a greenhouse roof and allowed to grow freely, fastening the growth to the baskets until they are covered; the tips can be pinched for a little time to make them uniform; at this stage a little artificial manure will be beneficial until the plants show flower, when it can be discontinued and only clear water applied.



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„ 1175. **Pendula compacta.** First-class edging annual. 4 inches ... 3d. & 0 6

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" 1470.	"	Buff.	" 1487.	"	Pink.
" 1194.	"	Grimson.	" 1193.	"	Purple.
" 1195.	"	Crushed Straw-	" 1191.	"	Rose.
		berry.	" 1192.	"	Scarlet.
" 1196.	"	Dark Claret.	" 1190.	"	White.
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Each Colour, 6d. and 1s. per packet.

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7 varieties of above, purchaser's selection, each in separate large packets	5	6
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No. 1197. Carters Splendid Mixture	6d., 1s., &	1 6
" 26. 12 superb colours, separate, 100 seeds each	5 0
" 27. 6 superb colours, separate, 100 seeds each	2 6

Sow in spring either in boxes or in open ground, and when transplanting to where they are intended to flower, care should be taken not to discard the smaller seedlings, which usually produce the best double flowers, the large coarse plants being often all singles.

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Annual. Produce a goodly proportion of double flowers; delicious scent. For open-air growth. $1\frac{1}{2}$ foot.

		Per packet—s. d.									
No.	30.	6 best varieties , selected, separate	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	2 6
„	31.	6 best varieties , selected, separate, small packets	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	1 6
„	1199.	Ten-week Stock, mixed	3d., 6d., &	1 0
„	1200.	Purple ; 1201, Scarlet ; 1202, White	each 3d. &	0 6

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Sow in March and April to bloom in late summer and autumn, and in cold frames in July and August to flower in spring.

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A splendid Stock of the intermediate type.
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No.	1204.	Crimson , rich	1 0
„	1205.	Purple , fine	1 0
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„	1207.	White , pure	1 0
„	1203.	Grand mixture of all colours	6d. &	1 0

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Carters Intermediate.—Biennial. A great favourite. $1\frac{1}{2}$ foot.

No.	36.	12 fine select colours , separate	3 0
„	37.	12 fine select colours , separate, small packets	1 6
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„	1211.	White. Excellent truss	1 0
„	1209.	Splendid mixture of all colours	6d. &	1 0

CARTERS CAPE OR GIANT.

No.	40.	6 varieties	2 6
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SPRING FLOWERING VARIETIES.

Sow in July and August and plant out in early spring. (The young plants are best wintered in cold frames.)

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„	1218.	Purple	0 6
„	1219.	Scarlet	0 6
„	1220.	White	0 6
„	1216.	Superb mixed	6d. &	1 0

Carters Queen.—Perennial. One of the hardiest. Average height, 1 foot. Per packet s. d.

No.	1221.	Queen, mixed. Great variety	6d. &	1 0
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Hardy's Perpetual.

No.	1222.	Pure white. A perpetual bloomer	6d., 1s., &	2 6
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EARLY LARGE-FLOWERED WINTER VARIETIES.

We very highly recommend this class of Stocks to all who have not grown them. They were first brought into prominence by the advent of that charming pink variety *Beauty of Nice*.

The following varieties all resemble this variety in habit and profusion of bloom. We know of few Stocks which produce such a high percentage of double flowers. Although usually treated as winter varieties, they are admirably suited for summer bedding if treated as ten-week varieties.

Sow in July and August for winter flowering, and in February and March for summer displays.

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No.	1223.	Beauty of Nice. —Plant of robust growth, 2 to $2\frac{1}{2}$ feet. Very free flowering. Flowers very large, fine double, fragrant, and delicate fleshy-pink colour. Extremely valuable for decorative work	6d. &	1 0
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„	1513.	Queen Alexandra. —Delicate rosy lilac	1 0

CARTERS NEW PERPETUAL WHITE STOCK.

No.	1212.	Producing a large percentage of double blooms all the year round. Height, 1 foot	1 0
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Carters Monarch Stocks.—For beds or borders these magnificent Stocks are invaluable. Well grown plants attain a height of 3 feet, carrying splendid spikes of bloom 18 inches to 2 feet in length, the proportion of double blossoms being extremely high. These varieties are hardy and do well sown in the open ground. We have pleasure in offering the following colours in addition to our *White Monarch* with which they are identical in habit and constitution.

				Per packet	s.	d.
No.	1213.	Monarch , White	1s. &	1 6
"	1577	"	Crimson	...	1s. &	1 6
"	1578.	"	Dark Blue	...	1s. &	1 6
"	1579.	"	Light Blue	...	1s. &	1 6
"	1580.	"	Rose	...	1s. &	1 6
"	1564	Bismarck .	Blooms slightly later than most ten-week Stocks, thus forming a valuable variety for succession. Of robust habit, having numerous trusses of large blooms borne round the central stem, forming a snowy pyramid, being a charming contrast to the distinct wide foliage			
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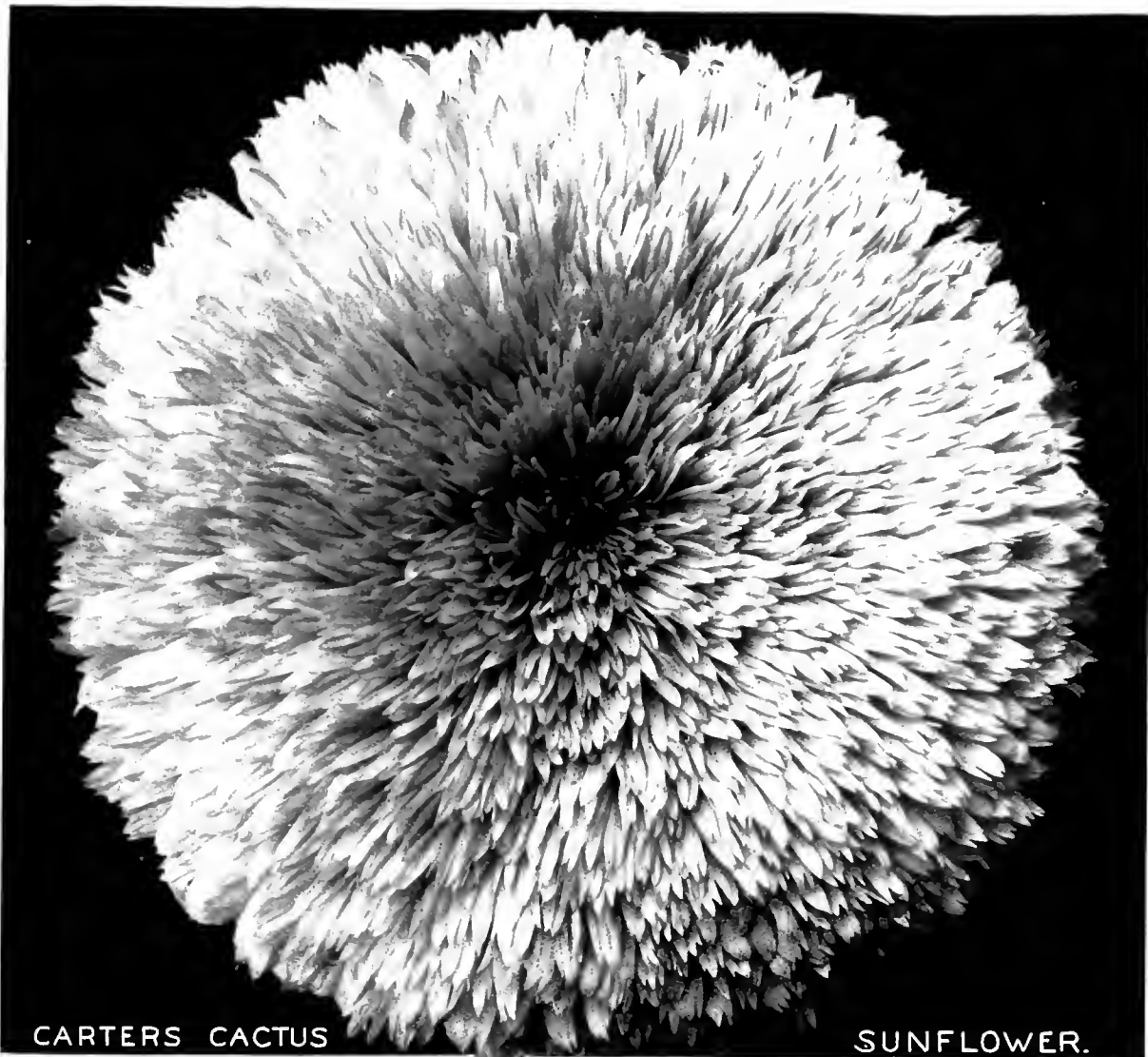
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Ten-week varieties, with glabrous foliage. 1 foot.

				Per packet	s.	d.
No.	34.	10 best select colours, separate,				
		100 seeds each	...	...	3	0
"	35.	10 best select colours, separate,				
		50 seeds each	1	6
"	1215	Finest mixture of colours	...	6d. &	1	0



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| 1230. | CACTUS or SUN'S-EYE (<i>see Photograph</i>). A grand double Sunflower of attractive form. 6 feet 6d. & | 1 0 | |
| 1232. | Carters Leviathan. The largest flowered variety. We have had heads sent us measuring 21 inches across. 6 to 10 feet ... | 6d. | 1 0 |
| 1236. | Henry Wilde. The best of all for cut single flowers, colour bright yellow with dark centre. 4 feet 6d. & | 1 0 | |
| 1240. | Californian. Splendid variety, with magnificent heads of double blossoms, rich colour. 6 feet 6d. & | 1 0 | |
| 1241. | Double Dwarf. Fine rich orange colour. 3 feet ... | 6d. | 1 0 |
| 1242. | Primrose. Delicate colour, with black centre; single. 4 feet ... | 6d. | 1 0 |
| 1244. | Dwarf. The old-fashioned dwarf garden variety; single. 3 feet ... | 3d., 6d., & | 1 0 |
| 1245. | Tall. Common or garden. 6 feet ... | 3d., 6d., & | 1 0 |
| | SUNFLOWER, PERENNIAL (Harpalium). | | |
| 1246. | Mixed. Best distinct varieties ... | 1s. & | 2 6 |



THREE GOLD MEDALS—CARTERS LARGE-FLOWERED SWEET PEAS.

THE NATIONAL SWEET PEA SOCIETY'S SHOW, 1911.

Our House was again awarded the large Gold Medal by the Society, for a magnificent exhibit. This much coveted honour has now been awarded to Carters Large-Flowered Sweet Pea at each of the three Shows, 1908, 1909 (1910 we did not exhibit), and 1911.

CARTERS LARGE-FLOWERED SWEET PEAS.

		Per packet—s. d.	
No. 1587.	Flora Norton Spencer (No. 1).—Bright blue, very fine flower, waved 3d., 6d., & 1 0		
„ 1257.	John Ingman (No. 2).—Giant rich rose, finely waved flowers 3d., 6d., & 1 0		
„ 1573.	Tennant Spencer (No. 3).—Purplish mauve, large, wavy, and beautiful 3d., 6d., & 1 0		
„ 1280.	Countess Spencer (No. 4).—Beautiful pink, large waved standards 3d., 6d., & 1 0		
„ 1258.	White Spencer (No. 5).—Pure white, standards waved, crinkled, and fluted with wavy wings, three and four flowers on long stems 3d., 6d., & 1 0		
„ 1585.	America Spencer (No. 6).—Beautiful scarlet flake on white ground, waved 3d., 6d., & 1 0		
„ 1264.	Helen Pierce (No. 7).—Colour, bright blue mottled on pure white 3d., 6d., & 1 0		
„ 1285.	Black Knight (No. 8).—A deep maroon self 3d., 6d., & 1 0		
„ 1334.	Saint George (No. 9).—Bright fiery orange standards, wings of a deeper shade 3d., 6d., & 1 0		
„ 1250.	Florence Morse Spencer (No. 10).—Large blush pink, beautifully waved 3d., 6d., & 1 0		
„ 1281.	Primrose Spencer (No. 11).—Very large, wavy, and crinkled flowers 3d., 6d., & 1 0		
„ 1473.	Helen Lewis (Orange Countess) (No. 12).—Large broad wavy orange standards and pink wings, three to four flowers on a stem 3d., 6d., & 1 0		
„ 1295.	Evelyn Hemus (No. 13).—A strong grower, Spencer type, primrose-buff, edged brilliant pink 3d., 6d., & 1 0		
„ 1293.	Maud Holmes (No. 14).—Sunproof crimson of true Spencer form, enormous blooms, splendidly waved ... 1 0		
„ 1284.	Asta Ohn (Spencer) (No. 15).—This selection is lavender, suffused or tinted with mauve 3d., 6d., & 1 0		
„ 1283.	America —Rich red stripe; very effective 3d., 6d., & 1 0		
„ 1548.	Chrissie Unwin .—A grand light scarlet, with bold wavy standard, quite distinct from any other variety 3d., 6d., & 1 0		
„ 1252.	Dainty .—Charming white flower, with pink edge 3d., 6d., & 1 0		
„ 1256.	Dorothy Eckford .—The finest white variety 3d., 6d., & 1 0		
„ 1549.	D. R. Williamson .—Bright indigo blue, wings slightly lighter in shade 3d., 6d., & 1 0		
„ 1294.	Duchess of Westminster .—Apricot, flushed with rose-pink 3d., 6d., & 1 0		
„ 1478.	E. J. Castle .—Very rich carmine-rose, a striking effect, especially in artificial light 3d., 6d., & 1 0		
„ 1479.	Enchantress .—Standard and wings beautifully frilled, bright rose-pink 3d., 6d., & 1 0		
„ 1477.	Frank Dolby .—Pale blue, same shade as <i>Lady Grisel Hamilton</i> 3d., 6d., & 1 0		
„ 1249.	Flora Norton .—A very pure bright self blue; quite distinct 3d., 6d., & 1 0		
„ 1255.	George Herbert .—Orange-pink standard, with deep rose wings; a very large flower 3d., 6d., & 1 0		
„ 1265.	Gladys Unwin .—Has a very large flower, not hooded, but with striking upright crinkled standard with broad wings; colour, pale rosy pink 3d., 6d., & 1 0		
„ 1337.	Henry Eckford .—An intense shining orange self 3d., 6d., & 1 0		
„ 1309.	King Edward Spencer .—It is the nearest approach in colour to the popular <i>King Edward VII.</i> in the waved or Spencer type. The enormous flowers come almost uniformly waved and crinkled to a pronounced degree 3d., 6d., & 1 0		
„ 1251.	King Edward .—Bright crimson self; a true giant-flowered variety 3d., 6d., & 1 0		
„ 1303.	Lady Grisel Hamilton .—Pale shining lavender; very fine 3d., 6d., & 1 0		
„ 1547.	Lord Nelson .—The richest dark blue, perfectly distinct 3d., 6d., & 1 0		
„ 1308.	Miss Willmott .—Standard a rich orange-pink, wings a delicate rose 3d., 6d., & 1 0		
„ 1480.	Mrs. Collier .—Light primrose, flowers of good substance 3d., 6d., & 1 0		
„ 1247.	Mrs. Geo. Higginson, Junr. .—Very distinct; purest pale blue 3d., 6d., & 1 0		
„ 1475.	Nora Unwin .—Same bold wavy standard as <i>Gladys Unwin</i> , a pure white 3d., 6d., & 1 0		
„ 1262.	Othello .—Dark maroon, the standard hoods slightly; the wings are wide 3d., 6d., & 1 0		
„ 1335.	Phenomenal .—White flower with blue edge, very attractive 3d., 6d., & 1 0		
„ 1474.	Queen Alexandra .—Intense self scarlet 3d., 6d., & 1 0		
„ 1550.	Queen of Spain .—A delicate soft pink, exceedingly dainty 3d., 6d., & 1 0		
„ 1551.	Queen or Mrs. Rothera .—A pure pink on deep cream ground 3d., 6d., & 1 0		
„ 1339.	Scarlet Gem .—A most dazzling scarlet. It is strong in growth and free flowering 3d., 6d., & 1 0		
„ 1340.	Senator Spencer .—Large bloom, beautifully frilled, chocolate flake on light ground 3d., 6d., & 1 0		
„ 1338.	Sybil Eckford .—The standards being delicate pink on lemon ground 3d., 6d., & 1 0		
„ 1259.	THE ABOVE VARIETIES IN MIXTURE , price per packet, 3d., 6d., 1s., 2s. 6d.; per half-pint, 5s. 6d.		



CARTERS LARGE-FLOWERED SWEET PEAS.



CARTERS SELECTED LARGE-FLOWERED WHITE SWEET PEA, 3d., 6d., & 1s. PER PACKET.

CARTERS SELECTED LARGE-FLOWERED SWEET PEAS.

(See photograph opposite.)

With a view to assisting those of our customers who are not quite conversant with Sweet Peas in their now extremely numerous varieties, we offer our selection of large-flowered varieties as under.

Although all good for exhibition, we chiefly have in mind their suitability for garden decoration and cutting purposes. With this end in view, the varieties we have selected will be found to be of giant-flowered types borne in threes and fours on very long stems. All are bright colours and pleasing shades, which do not scorch in the sun. The plants are of robust habit, and if the bloom is judiciously cut will produce large quantities of beautiful flowers until late Autumn.

No.	1266.	Carters extra early large-flowered White	...	...	...	...	...	...	Per packet—s. d.
"	1267.	" large-flowered White	"	...	...	...	...	...
"	1268.	" " Primrose	...	...	...	...	...	...
"	1269.	" " Deep Pink	...	...	...	...	...	...
"	1270.	" " Orange-Scarlet	...	...	...	...	...	...
"	1271.	" " Pink	...	...	...	...	...	...
"	1272.	" " Magenta	...	...	...	...	...	...
"	1273.	" " Deep Scarlet	...	...	...	...	...	...	Each colour, 3d., 6d., & 1 0
"	1274.	" " Lavender	...	...	...	...	...	...
"	1275.	" " Dark Blue	...	...	...	...	...	...
"	1276.	" " Purple	...	...	...	...	...	...
"	1277.	" " Bronze	...	...	...	...	...	...
"	1278.	" " Blue Striped	...	...	...	...	...	...
"	1279.	" " Scarlet Striped	...	...	...	...	...	...
"	1282.	Carters Superb Mixture , all colours, price 3d., 6d., 1s., and 2s. 6d. per packet ; 5s. 6d. per half-pint ; 10s. per pint.							

CARTERS GENERAL COLLECTION OF TALL SWEET PEAS.

No.	1248.	Agnes Johnson. —Rose pink standard, wings cream, flushed rose pink	...	...	...	...	...	...	Per packet—s. d.
"	1291.	Arthur Unwin. —Rose suffused and shaded with cream, blooms of excellent form and substance	...	...	...	...	...	...	3d., 6d., & 1 0
"	1287.	Beatrice Spencer. —Rosy pink, with wavy standard and large wings	...	...	...	...	...	...	6d. & 1 0
"	1288.	Bobby K. —A blush pink variety of true Spencer form...	...	...	...	...	...	...	3d., 6d., & 1 0
"	1289.	Boltons Pink. —A large orange-pink ; grandiflora type	...	...	...	...	...	...	6d. & 1 0
"	1286.	Captain of the Blues. —Bright purple and blue	...	...	...	...	...	...	3d., 6d., & 1 0
"	1552.	Coccinea. —A brilliant cerise self colour	...	...	...	...	...	...	3d., 6d., & 1 0
"	1341.	Constance Oliver. —Deep pink on cream ground	...	...	...	...	...	...	6d. & 1 0
"	1290.	Countess of Radnor. —Lavender	...	...	...	...	...	...	3d., 6d., & 1 0
"	1292.	Dora Breadmore. —Pale buff, suffused delicate pink ; grandiflora type, very slightly hooded	...	...	...	...	...	...	3d., 6d., & 1 0
"	1296.	Dorris Burt. —Sunproof scarlet, large flowered, slightly waved	...	...	...	...	...	...	6d. & 1 0
"	1254.	Duchess of Sutherland. —Pearly white, with light pink	...	...	...	...	...	...	3d., 6d., & 1 0
"	1297.	Earl Spencer. —Beautiful rich orange, waved, very fine flower	...	...	...	...	...	...	1 0
"	1342.	Elsie Herbert. —White edged rose	...	...	...	...	...	...	6d. & 1 0
"	1260.	Evelyn Byatt. —Rich orange-salmon standards, with wings a trifle deeper	...	...	...	...	...	...	3d., 6d., & 1 0
"	1314.	Florence Nightingale. —A splendid rich lavender, blooms large and beautifully waved	...	...	...	...	...	...	6d. & 1 0
"	1581.	George Stark. —Deep scarlet, finely waved	...	...	...	...	...	...	6d. & 1 0
"	1299.	H. J. R. Digges. —Claret, shaded maroon, bold flower with upright standard	...	...	...	...	...	...	6d. & 1 0
"	1298.	Hon. Mrs. E. Kenyon. —Colour, deep primrose	...	...	...	...	...	...	3d., 6d., & 1 0
"	1301.	Horace Wright. —Deep violet blue self ; grandiflora type	...	...	...	...	...	...	3d., 6d., & 1 0
"	1300.	Jeanie Gordon. —Bright rose and creamy	3d., 6d., & 1 0
"	1302.	Lady Nina Balfour. —Delicate mauve	3d., 6d., & 1 0

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CARTERS GENERAL COLLECTION OF TALL SWEET PEAS. — *Continued.*

						Per packet—s. d.	
No. 1304.	Lord Rosebery. —Magenta-rose; a very fine and robust variety	3d., 6d., &	1 0
" 1305.	Lord Salisbury. —Intense dark blue	...	...	...	...	3d., 6d., &	1 0
" 1306.	Lovely. —Pink and delicate rose	...	...	...	...	3d., 6d., &	1 0
" 1307.	Mars. —Deep crimson	...	...	...	...	3d., 6d., &	1 0
" 1261.	Miss H. C. Philbrick. —A lovely shade of deep mauve, sheen of pale blue	...	...	...	...	3d., 6d., &	1 0
" 1583.	Mrs. A. Ireland. —Cream and rose, fine Spencer form	...	...	...	...	3d., 6d., &	1 0
" 1476.	Mrs. Alfred Watkins. —Wavy standards, colour pale pink	...	...	...	...	3d., 6d., &	1 0
" 1310.	Mrs. Fitzgerald. —Delicate cream, flushed with rose	...	...	...	...	3d., 6d., &	1 0
" 1589.	Mrs. H. Dickson. —Pale salmon-pink on cream ground, waved	...	...	...	...	6d. &	1 0
" 1312.	Mrs. Sankey Spencer. —A "Black-seeded White" Spencer	...	...	...	...	3d., 6d., &	1 0
" 1315.	Mrs. H. Bell. —Apricot ground, suffused and edged soft pink; enormous flowers	...	...	...	...	6d. &	1 0
" 1253.	Mrs. Breadmore. —Primrose buff ground, suffused and edged soft rose	...	...	...	...	6d. &	1 0
" 1316.	Mrs. W. Wright. —A splendid flower of the Grandiflora form; clear mauve	...	...	...	...	3d., 6d., &	1 0
" 1319.	Mrs. Bieberstedt. —A large deep lavender self, slightly hooded	...	...	...	...	6d. &	1 0
" 1567.	Marbled Blue. —The most distinct blue striped variety; dark blue on white ground	...	...	...	...	3d., 6d., &	1 0
" 1582.	Marie Corelli. —Brilliant rose, fine form	...	...	...	...	6d. &	1 0
" 1568.	Marjorie Willis. —Brilliant rose pink self; Spencer form	...	...	...	...	6d. &	1 0
" 1569.	Mid Blue. —Clear shining blue, very distinct; Grandiflora form	...	...	...	...	3d., 6d., &	1 0
" 1311.	Navy Blue. —A pretty combination of dark blue, purple, and violet	...	...	...	...	3d., 6d., &	1 0
" 1584.	Othello Spencer. —Maroon waved	...	...	...	...	6d. &	1 0
" 1585.	Paradise Ivory. —Deep cream, overlaid faint rose	...	...	...	...	6d. &	1 0
" 1570.	Paradise Red Flake. —Spencer form, with the colour and markings of America	...	...	...	...	6d. &	1 0
" 1313.	Prima Donna. —Lovely shade of soft pink; very choice	...	...	...	...	3d., 6d., &	1 0
" 1317.	Princess Beatrice. —Rosy pink	...	...	...	...	3d., 6d., &	1 0
" 1318.	Princess of Wales. —Striped mauve and white	...	...	...	...	3d., 6d., &	1 0
" 1571.	Queen Victoria Spencer. —The flowers are of the true waved Spencer type, and have a most pleasing colour; deep primrose, flushed with rose	...	...	...	...	3d., 6d., &	1 0
" 1572.	Ramona Spencer. —This variety is clear white, with soft delicate lines and flakes of blush pink	...	...	...	...	3d., 6d., &	1 0
" 1574.	The Marquis. —A splendid flower, true Spencer form, rosy-mauve self	...	...	...	...	6d. &	1 0
" 1590.	Tom Bolton. —Beautiful dark maroon, large flowered, waved	...	...	...	...	6d. &	1 0
" 1263.	Unique. —A perfectly distinct variety in the striped or flake section	...	...	...	...	3d., 6d., &	1 0
" 1320.	White Eagle. —Pure white	...	...	...	...	3d., 6d., &	1 0
" 1469.	White Wonder. —An American variety, with three and four blooms on long stems	...	...	...	...	3d., 6d., &	1 0

No. 1321. **CARTERS MIXTURE of all colours**, price 3d., 6d., and 1s. per packet; 4s. per half-pint; 7s. 6d. per pint

No. 1322. **Carters extra mixture from 100 varieties.**

Per packet, price 3d., 6d., 1s., and 2s. 6d. each; 5s. 6d. per half-pint; 10s. per pint; 18s. 6d. per quart

No. 1575. **Carters Spencer Mixture.**—Containing all the best of the beautifully waved and frilled Spencer forms including many charming seedlings, which are not sufficiently fixed to be sent out separately. 1s. and 2s. 6d. per packet.

Other Spencer varieties not mentioned in this list can be supplied, 1s. per packet.

CARTERS DWARF OR CUPID SWEET PEAS.

Height about 6 inches.

		Per packet—s. d.				Per packet—s. d.	
No. 1323.	White. Pure	...	...	No. 1328.	Captain of the Blues.	...	...
" 1324.	Pink. Pink and white	...	...		Violet purple	...	...
" 1325.	Apple Blossom. Rose shaded	...	...	" 1329.	Countess of Radnor.	...	...
" 1326.	Alice Eckford. Cream tinted	...	...		Lavender	...	...
" 1327.	Boreatton. Rich dark colour	...	...	" 1330.	Firefly. Deep scarlet	...	...
" 1336.	Carters Superb Mixture, of Dwarf Varieties, price 3d., 6d., 1s., and 2s. 6d. per packet; 5s. 6d. per half-pint; 10s. per pint.	...	...	" 1331.	Primrose. Creamy white	...	...
" 1343.	Old Fashioned Tall Sweet Peas, mixed, fine quality, 3s. per lb.; 3d. & 6d. per packet.	...	...	" 1332.	Royalty Fine rose-pink	...	...
				" 1333.	Stella Morse. Rich buff	...	...

Carters Seedsmen by Appointment to His Majesty the King—High Holborn, London.



SWEET WILLIAM, CARTERS HOLBORN GLORY.

Per packet—s. d.

Sweet William (DIANTHUS BARBATUS).—Perennial. Beyond a good soil this gorgeous plant requires but little attention. Sow in summer, and transplant when large enough in autumn for blooming the next spring and summer.

No. 1344.	Carters Holborn Glory. —A beautiful strain of light shades. (See Photograph.) Our <i>Holborn Glory</i> strain is magnificent, the blooms being larger than a penny piece.	2 feet	...	...	...	...	...	...	6d. &	1 0
„ 1345.	Carters Auricula-eyed. —Very finely marked.	2 feet	...	...	...	...	...	...	6d. &	1 0
„ 1346.	Carters Dark Crimson. —Intense colour, dark foliage.	18 to 20 inches	...	...	...	...	...	...	6d. &	1 0
„ 1347.	Carters Pink. —A splendid strain varying in shade from palest flesh through clear shrimp and rose shades to deep coral. This should be in every garden.	15 to 18 inches	...	...	...	...	...	...	6d. &	1 0
„ 1349.	Carters Pure White.	18 inches	...	...	...	...	...	...	6d. &	1 0
„ 1350.	Carters Superb Mixed. All colours...		...	...	...	...	...	...	3d., 6d., &	1 0

SWEET BRIAR (EGLANTINE).—Hardy shrub.

No. 1351.	Scented. Delicious odour; for hedges, &c.	3 feet	6d. &	1 0
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SWEET PEA.—(See pages 252 to 254.)

SWEET SULTAN (CENTAUREA).—(See page 175.) Annual. The best and sweetest of annual flowers for cutting, and of easy culture in open ground. Sow in spring, in open, and thin out.

(For Carters Giant Sweet Sultans, see page 175.)

No. 1352.	Purple. —For pots or borders.	1½ foot	...	...	...	...	...	...	6d. &	1 0
„ 1353.	White (alba).—Delicate odour		...	...	...	...	...	...	6d. &	1 0
„ 1354.	Yellow. —Brilliant. A lovely colour and delicious scent		...	...	...	...	...	...	6d. &	1 0
„ 1355.	Carters Mixed. All varieties		...	...	...	...	...	...	3d., 6d., &	1 0

“My Plants of your Sweet William, *Holborn Glory*, are now a mass of bloom, and magnificent.”—R. HARVEY, Esq., Wallingford.

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TRACHELIUM CŒRULEUM.

Torenia.—Beautiful greenhouse annuals. Desirable as pot plant and for hanging baskets. Sow in early spring in pans of light soil, prick off, and pot on.

No. 1361.	Bailloni.	Golden yellow, red throat.	1 foot	...	...	...	...	...	...	1s. &	2 6
„ 1362.	Fournieri.	Sky blue, spotted indigo.	1 foot	...	...	...	...	...	...	1s. &	2 6
„ 1363.	„	White Wings. White; handsome.	1 foot	...	...	...	...	...	...	1s. &	2 6

Tritoma (RED HOT POKER PLANT; also called KNIPHOFIA).—Tuberous Perennial. Of great value in the mixed border in the late summer. Sow in cold frame in spring, and transplant as soon as seedlings can be handled.

No. 1364.	Uvaria grandiflora.	Old garden favourite	0 6
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Tropæolum.—See Nasturtium, page 221.

Valerian.—Hardy perennial. For beds or borders. Sow in spring in warm position, and transplant.

No. 1365.	Red Garden	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0 3
„ 1366.	White Garden	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	0 3

Venus' Looking Glass.—Hardy annual. Sow in open border in spring.

No. 1367.	Blue.	Campanula-like.	1 foot	0 3
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Venus' Navelwort.—Sow in open border in spring. Hardy annual for edgings.

No. 1368.	White Forget-me-not-like sprays and whitish foliage.	9 inches	0 3
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Verbascum (MULLEIN).—Hardy perennial. Sow seeds in summer, and transplant in autumn to bloom following year.

No. 1369.	Pannosum.	White foliage, dense spikes of yellow flowers, silver white in centre.	6 feet...	1 0
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Veronica.—Perennial.

No. 1370.	Greenhouse Varieties	1s. & 2 6
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Per packet—s. d.

Tacsonia.—See Passion Flower, page 223.

Tagetes.—Brilliant Dwarf Single Edging Marigold; hardy annual. Sow in spring, and transplant into beds or borders. Extremely showy.

No. 1356.	Pumila.	First-class; orange yellow.	9 inches	...	...	...	...	3d. &	0 6
„ 1357.	Pumila.	Golden Ring. A great improvement	6 inches	6d., 1s., &	2 6				

Tecoma.—Greenhouse. Sow in early spring, in heat, and pot off.

No. 1358.	Smithi.	First-class plant for autumn and winter greenhouses; golden blossoms.	1 foot	1 6
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Thalictrum (MEADOW RUE).—Hardy perennial; splendid. Most graceful for the borders.

No. 1359.	Adiantifolium.	Fern-leaved foliage, for cutting.	2 feet	...	1s. &	2 6
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Thunbergia.—Half-hardy climber. Annual. Sow under glass in spring, pot off, and plant out when hardened.

No. 1360.	Alata.	Choicest Mixed. Orange, yellow, and white, some flowers having black centres	0 6
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Tobacco.—See Nicotiana, page 223.

Trachelium Cœruleum (see Photograph). Hardy herbaceous perennial. A most popular plant for greenhouse decoration, having large heads of pale blue flowers.

No. 1348.	Height, 2 feet	6d. &	1 0
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Verbena.—Perennial. Few plants are more generally liked than the Verbena, as it makes a first-class bedder, brilliant in colours, excellent habit, and of long duration in bloom. Sow in heat in spring, prick off into boxes in cool frame, harden off and plant out. It may be also grown as a pot plant from seeds sown in summer for flowering in the greenhouse the following spring.

		Per packet—s. d.
No. 1371.	Carters Mammoth, Choice Mixture of all shades	6d., 1s., & 2 6
" 1372.	Mammoth. Scarlet shades.	
	Magnificent blossom ...	6d. & 1 0
" 1510.	Mammoth. Brilliant rose	1 0
" 1373.	Carters Large-flowered.	
	Dark blue, 6d. & 1 0	
" 1375.	" Pink	6d. & 1 0
" 1376.	" Scarlet	6d. & 1 0
" 1377.	" White	6d. & 1 0
" 1378.	Carters Auricula-Eyed.	
	Choice mixed ...	6d. & 1 0

Dwarf Compact Verbenas.—These require no pegging down. The erect bushy habit renders them most suitable for bedding, borders, and also pots. The colours are brilliant in the extreme.

		Per packet—s. d.
No. 1379.	Defiance. A beautiful fiery scarlet	6d. & 1 0
" 1380.	Scarlet. With white eye,	6d. & 1 0
" 1381.	Cœrulea. Deep blue	6d. & 1 0
" 1382.	" With white eye,	6d. & 1 0
" 1374.	Carters Dwarf Compact. Mixed	6d., 1s., & 2 6
" 1383.	Carters Hybrids. Mixture of sorts, excellent bedder	6d. & 1 0
" 1384.	Collection of 10 varieties, separate, special packets	4 0
" 1385.	Collection of 6 varieties, separate, special packets	2 6
" 1386.	Lemon-scented (Aloysia). Half-hardy shrub	1 0
" 1387.	Drummondii. Hardy perennial	3d. & 0 0
" 1388.	Venosa. Hardy perennial, blooming the first season; rosy purple	3d. & 0 0

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Carter's Seedsman by Appointment to His Majesty the King—High Holborn, London.

WALLFLOWERS.

(See Photograph opposite.)

The Wallflower is a very old friend in English gardens, but is not grown to the extent it deserves. Now that so many improved forms and bright colours are available, it should be found a place where any collections of spring-flowering plants are brought together. For quite two months, April and May, it adds its best charms, and makes beds and borders quite cheery by its presence and fragrance. The spindly straggling plants too commonly met with are only a mere apology for the effects well-cultivated examples, such as plants from the following highly selected strains, are capable of achieving. The double varieties, although very pretty when well grown, do not always come up to the high standard anticipated, and only occasionally give that real solid satisfaction that can be relied upon with the singles. For real usefulness we recommend the following selections of uniform height and habit, broad petalled, and decisive colours. They flower early, last well, and are off the ground in convenient time for summer bedding. The seeds may be sown from April to August in a partially shaded but airy place. If sown on poor firm soil plants of stubby growth and hardy nature will be produced whilst those sown later in rich ground are often killed in winter. All may be transplanted to blooming quarters from August to November, according to circumstances.

SINGLE VARIETIES.

CARTERS DWARF SWEET-SCENTED LARGE-FLOWERED WALLFLOWERS.

For beds and borders. 9 to 12 inches. Plants to stand 1 foot apart. Excellent in a bed to themselves or as a front to the taller varieties.

No. 1404.	Carters Dwarf Golden	Per packet—s. d.	No. 1406.	Carters Dwarf Blood-Red	Per packet—s. d.
	Large Flowered ...	6d., 1s., & 1 6		Large Flowered ...	6d., 1s., & 1 6
" 1405.	Carters Dwarf Purple		" 1410.	Carters Mixture of Dwarf Varieties	
	Large Flowered ...	6d., 1s., & 1 6			6d., 1s., & 1 6

CARTERS TALL AND VARIOUS SWEET-SCENTED WALLFLOWERS.

The tall strain is very effective planted in front of shrubberies, along borders, or in the centre of beds edged with the dwarf varieties above. 18 inches except where otherwise stated.

No. 1411.	Carters Tall Golden	Per packet—s. d.	No. 1416.	Harbinger.	Per packet—s. d.
	Flowered ...	6d., 1s., & 1 6		The well-known early flowering Market variety. Colour mahogany brown ...	6d. & 1 0
" 1412.	Carters Tall Purple		" 1424.	Ruby Gem. —Fine colour. 9 inches	6d. & 1 0
	Flowered ...	6d., 1s., & 1 6	" 1420.	Carters Annual. —A very quick bloomer. Sown in spring, flowers the same year. Colour red-brown ...	6d. & 1 0
" 1413.	Carters Tall Blood-Red		" 1421.	Vulcan. —A dwarf, neat-habited, maroon-flowered variety. Makes a splendid bedding plant. 9 to 12 inches ...	6d., 1s., & 1 6
	Flowered ...	6d., 1s., & 1 6	" 1422.	Carters May Day. —All colours. 1 to 2 feet ...	3d., 6d., & 1 0
" 1414.	Carters Tall Salmon-Pink		" 1423.	Eastern Queen. —Salmon, shaded	6d. & 1 0
	Large Flowered ...	6d., 1s., & 1 6	" 1425.	Old Gold. —Golden bronze. 15 inches	6d., 1s., & 2 6
" 1415.	Carters Tall Primrose		" 1426.	Graham's Perfection. —Pale gold. 12 inches ...	6d. & 1 0
	Flowered ...	6d., 1s., & 1 6	" 1427.	Primrose. —Delicate colour ...	6d. & 1 0
" 1418.	Carters Mixture of Tall Varieties		" 1428.	Blood, or Dark. —Selected stock. 15 inches ...	3d., 6d., & 1 0
	6d., 1s., & 1 6		" 1429.	Golden Tom Thumb. —Superior bedding. 9 inches ...	3d., 6d., & 1 0
" 1407.	Carters Spanish Queen		" 1430.	Purple, or Violet. —Older variety. 3d., 6d., & 1 0	
	6d., 1s., & 1 6		" 1431.	Yellow. —For borders ...	3d., 6d., & 1 0
" 1409.	Carters Scarlet				
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" 1419.	<i>Spanish Queen and Scarlet are new colours in Wallflowers; of great effect for bedding purposes.</i>				
" 1419.	Carters Extra Early. —A very early rich brown-red flowering variety that is often seen in bloom during the winter months ...	6d. & 1 0			
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No. 1432.	Carters Tall. —Large, variously coloured spikes. 15 to 18 inches ...	1s. & 1 6	No. 74.	Double. —Six Selected Colours, separate, 50 seeds, each ...	2 0
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The Zinnia is one of the many popular garden flowers introduced into general cultivation in this country by the late Mr. James Carter, and as far back as 1860 our House was awarded a First Class Certificate by the Royal Horticultural Society for our strain of the double-flowered type. When well grown, the Zinnia is one of the showiest of the half-hardy Annuals, its treatment being similar to that of the Aster.

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CARTERS MAMMOTH DOUBLE ZINNIA

				Per packet—s. d.				
No. 1447.	Double	Carminé	6d. & 1 0	No. 1452.	Double	Scarlet ...	6d. & 1 0
" 1448.	"	Crimson ...	...	6d. & 1 0	" 1453.	"	White ...	6d. & 1 0
" 1449.	"	Orange ...	...	6d. & 1 0	" 1454.	Haageana, Double.	Dwarf. 1 foot	6d. & 1 0
" 1450.	"	Purple	6d. & 1 0	" 1455.	Double Mixed.	Best Colours. 1½ foot	6d. & 1 0
" 1451.	"	Rose	6d. & 1 0				
No. 76.	Double Zinnia, 6 distinct varieties, separate							2 6

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Annual. The single Zinnia is unique in form, and combines richness and variety of colour; attractive in beds or mixed borders.

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No. 1440.	Choice Single Mixed.	Includes all the best colours. 2 feet		3d., 6d., & 1 0
" 1441.	Single	Crimson	3d. & 0 6

				Per packet—s. d.
No. 1442.	Single	Orange ...	...	3d. & 0 6
" 1443.	"	Scarlet	3d. & 0 6
" 1444.	"	White	3d. & 0 6
" 75.	Zinnia Elegans, Single, 8 varieties, separate			2 0

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	Per packet—s. d.
Zea Mays (JAPANESE MAIZE) Annual. Sow in slight heat in May, and plant out in June.	
No. 1439. Variegata . Beautifully striped per oz., 1s.; 3d. & 0 6	
Perfection .—Height 3 feet. Foliage striped rose, crimson, cream, and yellow; very compact and ornamental.	
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1 foot 0 3	

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6 feet 1 0	
No. 1437. Imperialis . Sub-tropical.	
6 feet 1 0	
Winter Cherry .—Perennial. (See also page 229).	
No. 1438. Red fruited . For winter bouquets 3d. & 0 6	
Xeranthemum (see page 196).	

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SOW IN MARCH, APRIL, MAY, AND JUNE.

Tall varieties, per oz., 6d.; Dwarf varieties, per oz., 6d.; Tall and Dwarf varieties, mixed, per oz., 6d., per lb., 5s.

SELECT LIST OF TREE AND SHRUB SEEDS FOR PLANTATIONS OR EXPORTATION CAN BE SUPPLIED ON APPLICATION

BULBS FOR PLANTING IN EARLY SPRING FOR SUMMER AND AUTUMN FLOWERING.

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AMARYLLIS.

The Amaryllis are a showy tribe of bulbous plants, and exceedingly effective for conservatory decoration. Pot up the dry bulbs when received in good loamy soil, and expect them to bloom the following summer, or earlier if pushed on in heat. When potting, use a compost of turfy loam and leaf-mould, coarse sand, and well-rotted cow-dung.

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Amaryllis Bella Donna (Bella Donna Lily), soft pink 7 6 0 9		
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" Purpurea (Vallota), splendid scarlet — 1 6		
" Mixed Seedlings from choice sorts — 2 6		
" Splendid named varieties from 5s. to 20s. each.		

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Enormous Blooms, Single and Double.

The most Advanced Strain of the day for Pot Culture, and also grand for bedding purposes.

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choice named 2s. 6d. and 3s. 6d. each; 24s. and 36s. "	
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A magnificent single strain for bedding or for pots.

Flowers very large and of great substance, with the edges of each petal beautifully frilled or fringed. A great improvement on the ordinary single Begonia.

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Orange 50 0 7 6 0 9				White 50 0 7 6 0 9			
Yellow 50 0 7 6 0 9				Salmon 50 0 7 6 0 9			

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Imported Bulbs for Bedding.

SINGLE.	Per 100. s. d.	Per doz. s. d.	Each. s. d.	DOUBLE.	Per 100. s. d.	Per doz. s. d.	Each. s. d.
Bright Scarlet 28 0 4 0 0 5				Copper Shades 35 0 5 0 0 6			
Copper 28 0 4 0 0 5				Pink 35 0 5 0 0 6			
Dark Crimson 28 0 4 0 0 5				Red 35 0 5 0 0 6			
Pure White 28 0 4 0 0 5				Rose 35 0 5 0 0 6			
Pink 28 0 4 0 0 5				Yellow 35 0 5 0 0 6			
Yellow 28 0 4 0 0 5				White 35 0 5 0 0 6			
All Colours, Mixed 25 0 3 6 0 4				All Colours, Mixed 32 0 4 6 0 5			

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SEEDS FOR ABROAD.

Carefully arranged and suitably packed for all Climates.

Each packet specially dried and enclosed in Tinfoil and placed in air exhausted hermetically-sealed boxes.



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Beans, Dwarf.	Carrot, best sorts.	Kale.	Mustard and Cress.	Savoy.
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Cabbage, best sorts.	Egg Plant.	cabbage.	Potato Seed.	yellow.
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Comprising useful quantities of the above varieties, sent packing and postage free to all parts within the Parcels Post Union on receipt of remittance or an order for payment in England, price 16s.

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Canary Creeper.	Everlasting Flower.	Linum.	Perilla.	Sweet William.
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CARTERS LILIAM AURATUM.

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(The beautiful golden-rayed Lily of Japan.)

This grand Lily has now been brought to such a popular price that it should be largely grown in every garden. In soils suitable to its taste it will thrive in increased vigour each season in borders, and should be extensively cultivated in such spots. It can be seen in its full beauty in association with ornamental shrubs and bold-leaved herbaceous plants. It flowers rather later in summer than some of its relations.

All bulbs are carefully sorted by hand, and are examined personally before despatch.

Fine Gigantic Roots,
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Large Roots,
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Good Flowering Roots,
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LILIUMS IN VARIETY.

	Per doz.	Each.		Per doz.	Each.
	s. d.	s. d.		s. d.	s. d.
Croceum (<i>Orange Lily</i>) ... per 100, 25s.	4	6	0	6	
Chalcedonicum , rich scarlet, strong flowering bulbs ...	12	6	1	3	
Elegans (<i>Prince of Orange</i>), orange, spotted black ...	4	0	0	5	
Elegans, atrosanguineum , dark crimson ...	7	6	0	9	
Excelsum or Testaceum , nankeen ...	15	0	1	6	
Giganteum (<i>The King of the Lilies</i>), white, striped with crimson-brown ... each 3s. 6d., 5s., & 7				6	
Humboldtii , of remarkable beauty, 5 ft. high, golden yellow, spotted with rich purple ...	—		2	6	
Japonicum Brownii , white, trumpet-shaped, outer petals tinged with brown ...	—		2	6	
Longiflorum , the gigantic Japanese form, fine white, tube-shaped flowers ...	7	0	0	9	
Martagon , purple Turk's Cap ...	4	0	0	6	
Martagon , yellow Turk's Cap ...	4	6	0	6	
Rubrum , scarlet Turk's Cap ...	12	6	1	3	
Pardalinum , tall handsome variety, height 5 to 6 ft., orange scarlet, spotted black, extra strong ...	7	6	0	9	
Szovitzianum or Colchicum . This is the handsomest of all the yellow Lilies ...	15	0	1	6	
The Bella Donna Lily (see Amaryllis, page 262) ...	7	6	0	9	
Tigrinum flore pleno , rich orange-scarlet, crimson spots, very double per 100, 30s.	4	6	0	5	
Tigrinum, sinensis (<i>Tiger Lily</i>), orange spotted, extra strong bulbs ... per 100, 21s.	3	0	0	4	
Tigrinum, Splendens , rich orange-scarlet, densely studded with bright crimson spots, extra strong bulbs ... per 100, 30s.	4	6	0	5	
Umbellatum , dark red ... 25s.	3	6	0	5	



CARTERS LILIUM LANCIFOLIUM RUBRUM.

Next to the *Lilium auratum* we must place the *lancifolium* or *speciosum*, so exquisite in form and so easily cultivated. Specimens may frequently be seen flowering abundantly from pots in the squares and on balconies in the very centre of London and other large cities late in summer, and coming at a time of year when flowers are somewhat scarce makes it doubly welcome. It thrives well out in the border, and, with its pure chaste white, orange, crimson-spotted, and rose-spotted flowers, is very attractive.

							Per doz.	Each.
							s. d.	s. d.
Lancifolium album ,	beautiful white	...	...	...	...	...	10 6	1 0
„	roseum ,	delicate rose spots	...	...	...	...	7 6	0 9
„	rubrum ,	rich crimson spots	...	...	...	...	7 6	0 9
„	album Krætzneri ,	finest pure white variety...	...	...	...	...	12 6	1 3
„	Henryii (the orange yellow <i>Speciosum</i>),	deep orange yellow	...	...	...	...	27 6	2 6
„	Melpomene ,	ruby-crimson spots, very beautiful	10 6	1 0
„	magnificum ,	splendid new variety from Japan	15 0	1 6

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THE BRIDE.

CARTERS IMPROVED BUTTERFLY GLADIOLUS.

By carefully selecting those varieties planted specially for hybridisation, we claim to now offer absolutely the largest flowered and the grandest mixture of Gladiolus that has ever been produced.

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We strongly recommend this choice mixture to our customers, as we feel sure when once grown they will discard all other mixtures and give this the place of honour in their garden.

Strong Flowering Bulbs. Price 140s. per 1,000; 15s. per 100; 2s. per doz.

CARTERS "THE BRIDE" GLADIOLUS.

Pure White. Early Flowering. Price per 100 4s.; per doz. 8d.

LATE SUMMER FLOWERING GLADIOLUS.

	Per 100.	Per doz.
	s. d.	s. d.
Cardinalis , fiery scarlet, flaked white ...	10 6	1 6
Floribundus , white, purple striped ...	10 6	1 6
Formosissimus , salmon, flaked magenta,		
white blotch ...	10 6	1 6
Psittacinus , bronzy yellow ...	10 6	1 6
Queen Victoria , vermillion and white ...	10 6	1 6
Ramosus , salmon-rose and white ...	10 6	1 6
6 each of above 6 varieties, 4s. 12 each of above 6 varieties, 7s. 6d.		

AUTUMN FLOWERING GLADIOLUS.

Named Gandavensis Varieties.—A descriptive list forwarded on application.

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	Per doz.—s. d.
Ceres .—White flaked ...	4 0
Chamont .—Lilac and purple ...	4 0
Crebillon .—Rosy lilac, long spike ...	3 0
Gabinia .—Yellow, rose spot ...	3 0
Gorgo .—Salmon-rose ...	4 0
Memnon .—Scarlet ...	4 0

3 each of above 12 varieties, 10s. 6d.

6 each of above 12 varieties, 20s.

	Per doz.—s. d.
Mrs. Laxton .—Rose, white centre ...	4 0
Napoleon III. Red, yellow centre ...	3 0
Orcus .—Light red, shaded ...	4 0
Stembrotus .—Orange-red ...	4 0
Surprise .—Amaranth ...	3 0
Thespis .—Orange-carmine ...	4 0

12 each of above 12 varieties, 35s.

Scarlet Branchleyensis and New Gladiolus, please see next page.

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GLADIOLUS SCARLET BRENCHLEYENSIS.

Large handsome spikes of brilliant scarlet.

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Carters Blue King.—A superb Gladiolus. Colour deep blue or indigo; flowers as large as the *Gandavensis* section; flowering at latter part of July. Height 3 to 4 ft., and often producing 24 flowers on each spike. Price 7s. 6d. per doz.; 9d. each.

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America see *Photograph*, page 266). Autumn flowering. A beautiful soft flesh pink, very light and much like *Eucharis* Carnation, except slightly tinged with lavender, which gives it the delicate colouring of the most beautiful *Laelias*. Price 7s. 6d. per doz.; 9d. each.

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Very effective white bell-shaped flowers, they make a splendid background for Gladiolus. Height about 4 feet.

Per 100, 7s. 6d.; per doz., 1s. 3d.

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Carters Finest Selected Crowns, for forcing.—In bundles of 25, per 1,000, 90s.; per 100, 9s. 6d.; per 25, 2s. 6d.

Good Flowering Crowns.

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Giant Flowering Retarded Crowns FOR ALL SEASONS.
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Pottsii. —A showy hardy plant, producing a spike 2½ feet high of orange-scarlet flowers	3 6	0 8
Crocsmiæflora. —Large bold flowers, deep orange-scarlet	4 6	0 9
George Davidson. —Golden yellow, fine handsome flower	21 0	3 6
Resea. —Soft pink, beautiful	6 6	1 0

	Per 100. s. d.	Per doz. s. d.
Elegans. —Yellow, striped vermillion	6 6	1 0
Etoile de Feu. —Vermilion	6 6	1 0
Rayon d'Or. —Yellow and Brown	5 0	0 0
Pyramidalis. —Apricot	6 6	1 0
Eldorado. —Reddish orange	6 6	1 0
Mixed Varieties	5 0	0 9
Germania. —Large flower, orange-scarlet	17 6	3 0

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MONARCH OF THE EAST. (As originally named and offered by us.)

This remarkable plant exhibits one of those extraordinary traits in nature that few are able to understand, for the magnificent flower actually comes out of the dry bulb without being placed in soil and water.

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Decorated China Bowls for placing these bulbs in, price 6d., 9d., and 1s. each.

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Tigridia grandiflora alba. White, spotted;		Tigridia rosea. Bright rose	... 1 6
beautiful	... 1 6	Tigridia speciosa. Red and yellow	... 1 6
Tigridia lilacea. Purplish lilac, spotted	... 1 6	Tigridia immaculata lutea. Pure yellow	1 6
Tigridia immaculata. Pure white	... 1 6		

1cs. 6d. per 100.

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CARTERS "EMPRESS" POPPY ANEMONES.

An easily grown type that should be found in every garden, consists of every shade of colour that is to be found in the Anemone family. They are in full bloom during June; in some seasons earlier.

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THE TRUE IRISH STRAIN.

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The true English variety.

Intense brilliant scarlet, very double. A fitting companion to our well-known Single *Empress* Anemone.

The flowers are of great size, intensely double, and remarkably brilliant in colour.

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We offer the true early single form, fine English-grown roots, of the well-known Scarlet Pau Anemone. A very brilliant scarlet crimson flower, rising from 6 to 9 inches above the rich green palmate foliage; splendid for clumps, in the border, in a bed by itself, vase decoration, and also for naturalization in sunny hedgerows or among the grass.

Price, 9s. per 100; 1s. 3d. per dozen.

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Cedar, red	—	—	—	1	6	2	6	" sinensis, fl. pl.	—	—	—	1	6	2	6
Cedrus deodara	2	6	3	6	5	0		* " triloba, fl. pl.	—	—	—	1	6	2	6
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" oreceta viridis	1	0	2	6	3	6		" " aurea	—	—	—	1	0	1	6
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Eleagnus japonica variegata	—	—	—	1	6	2	6	" " ruberrima	—	—	—	—	—	1	0
Euonymus, green	1	0	1	6	2	6		" " Van Houttei	—	—	—	—	—	1	6
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* Halesia tetraptera	—	—	—	1	6	2	6	* Weigela rosea	—	—	—	—	—	1	0
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Hollies, green	1	6	2	6	3	6		Wellingtonia gigantea	—	—	—	3	6	5	0
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Birch , silver	—	—	—	2	6	Thorns , single pink	—	—	—	—	2	6
Catalpa syringæfolia	2	6	3	6		" " double pink	—	—	—	—	2	6
Cherry , double flowering	2	6	3	6		" " scarlet	—	—	—	—	2	6
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Daphne indica	2 6	3 6
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Rhododendrons, in variety	3 6	5 0
†Rhynchospermum jasminoides	2 6	3 6
Roses, in pots, in variety	2 6	3 6
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Salvias, in variety	1 0	1 6
Saxifraga sarmentosa	—	1 6
*Smilax (Myrsiphyllum)	—	1 6
Solanum capsicastrum	1 0	1 6
" jasminoides	2 6	3 6
" Statico, in variety	3 6	5 0
†Stephanotis floribunda	3 6	5 0
†Strelitzia Reginae	5 0	to 10 6
Streptocarpus, in variety	1 0	2 6
Streptosolen Jamesoni	—	2 6
†Strobilanthes Dyerianus	—	2 6
Swinsonia galegifolia	—	2 6
" alba	—	2 6
*Tacsonia exoniensis	—	2 6
" Van Volxemi	—	2 6
†Tradescantia Zebrina	1 0	1 6
†Thysanocanthus rutilans	—	2 6
†Thunbergia fragrans	2 6	3 6

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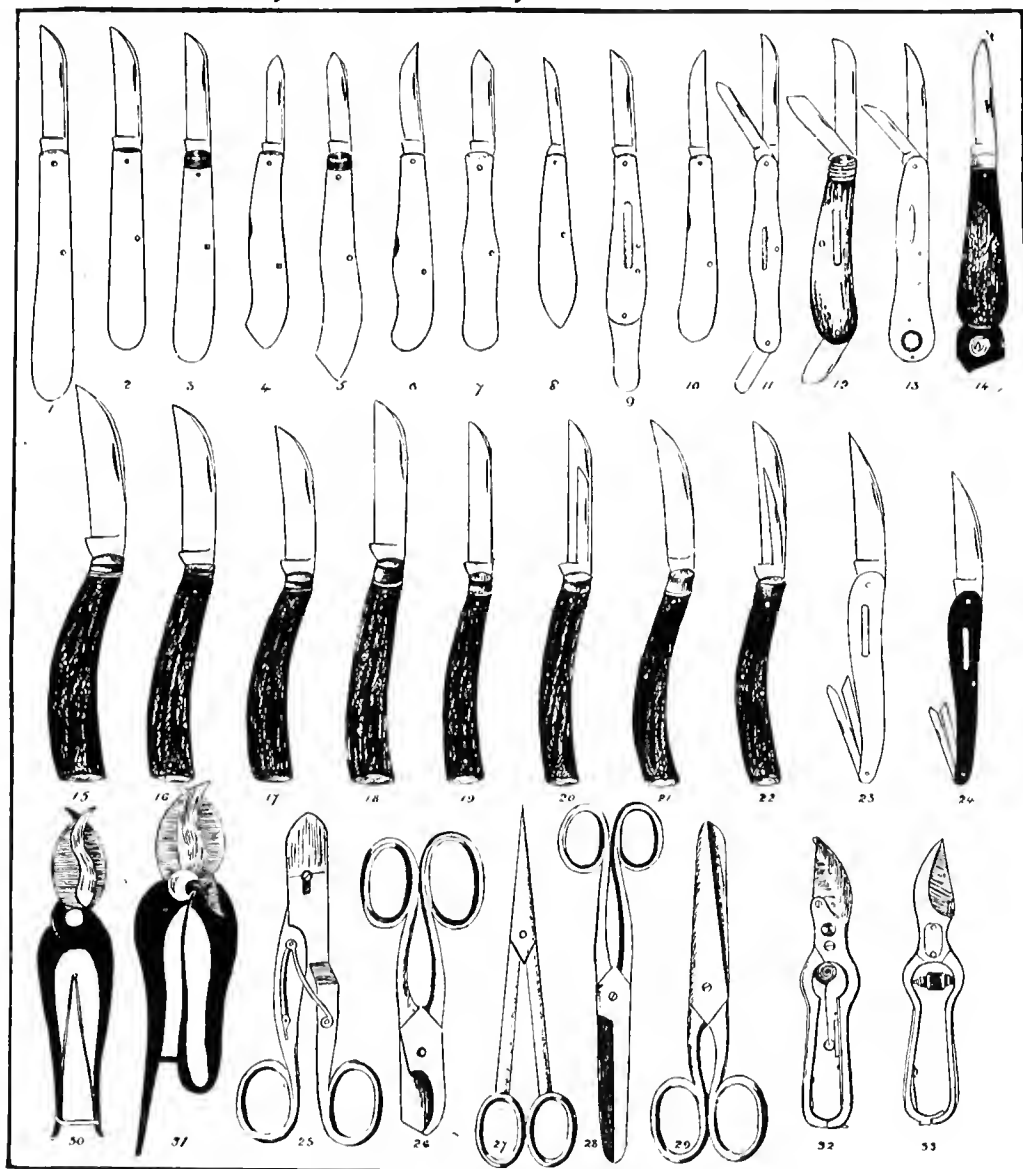
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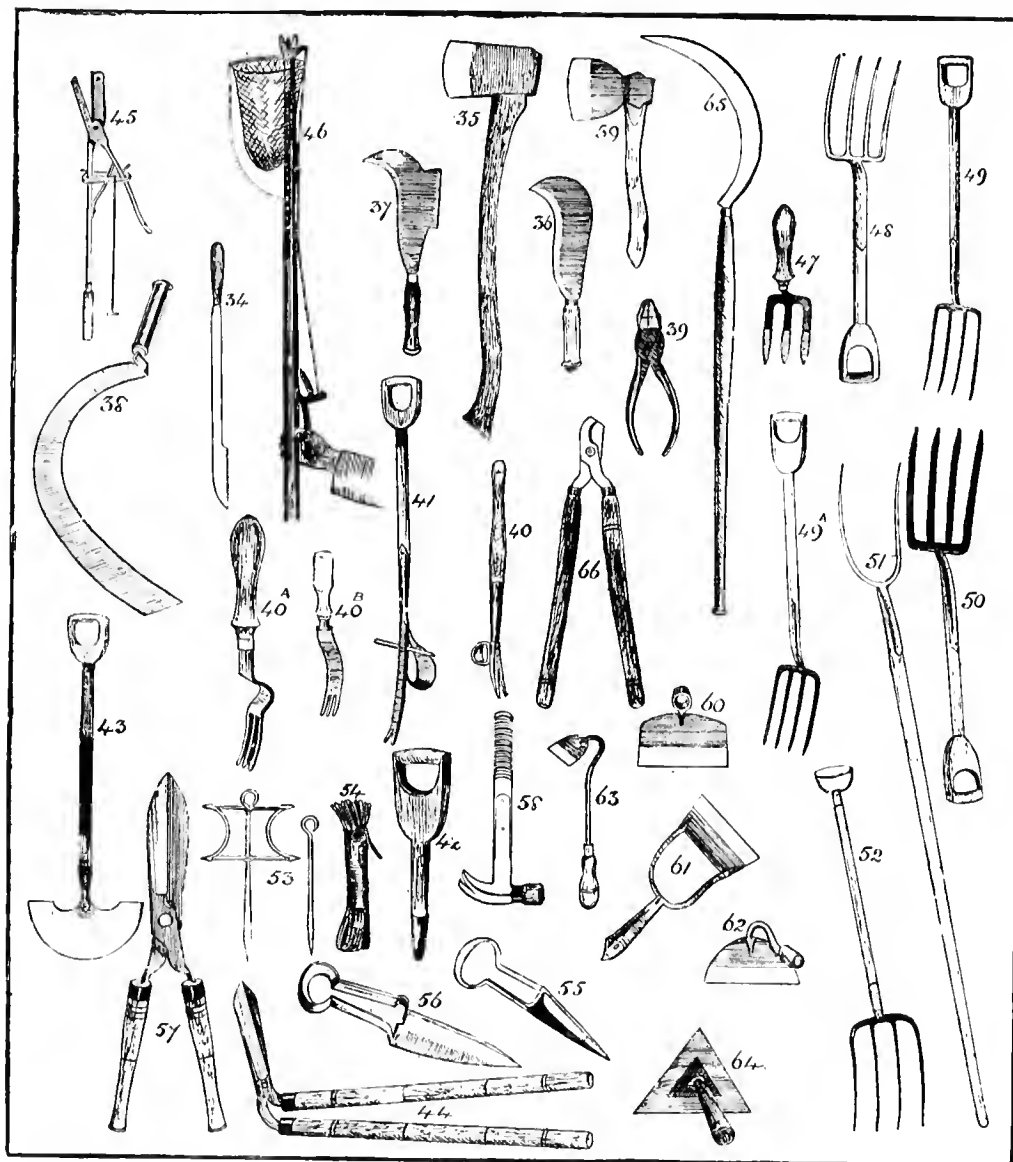
"Eclair" Knapsack Sprayer	complete	s.	d.
Vermorite, for use in above	per packet, 2s. 2d.; case of 24 packets	35	6
Jeyes' Horticultural Spray Pump	with Galvanized Tank, 25s.; with Copper Tank,	50	0
											45	0

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Stone's Pneumatic Spray Producers, No. 1807, Polished Copper, holding 4 pints, Nickered Pump	each	27	9
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No. 1. Small Wheel and Ordinary Hopper	0	12	6
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No. 4. as No. 1, but Double Wheels	0	14	0
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	£	s.	d.
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35	Billhooks, Gent.'s, polished handles	2s., 2s. 6d., and 3s. each
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37	Bagging or Gorse Hooks, useful for hedging or cutting rough herbage	2s. 3d., 2s. 6d., and 2s. 9d. each
38	Chrysanthemum Tweezers, Ivory, 2s. 6d.; Steel, 2s. 6d.	Bloom Dressers, per complete set in case, 15s.
39	Cutting Pliers, for wire	1s. 9d., 2s., and 2s. 6d. pair
40	Daisy Grubbers	short handle, 1s. 6d.; 2-ft. handle, 2s.; 4-ft. handle, 2s. 6d. each
40A	"	short handle, 1s. 6d. each
40B	"	1s. each
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42	Dibblers, D handle	plain, 9d.; steel shod, 1s. 6d. each
43	Edging or Grass Plot Knives, with handles	2s. 5d., 3s. 3d., and 3s. 6d. each
44	" or Border Shears	8½ in., 5s. 6d.; 9 in., 6s.; 9½ in., 6s. 6d.; 10 in., 7s. 6d. per pair
44A	Selby's Patent Reversible Border and Lawn Shears	1s. 6d. pair
45	Flower Gatherers (the "Selby"), with 4-ft. handle	10s. 6d.; 6-ft. handle, 12s. 6d. each
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48	" Digging	4-prong, 4s.; 5-prong, 5s. each
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50	" Potato	4-prong, 3s. 6d. and 4s. 6d. each
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54	" Lines, strong, best quality	30 yards, 1s.; 40 yards, 1s. 3d.; 60 yards, 1s. 9d.; 120 yards, 3s. 6d. each
55	Grass Shears, steel, straight	2s. 9d. pair
56	" " cranked	3s. 6d. pair
57	Garden Shears, Imp.	8 in., 3s. 6d.; 8½ in., 4s.; 9 in., 4s. 6d.; 9½ in., 5s.; 10 in., 5s. 6d. pair
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61	" Dutch	3 in., 9d.; 4 in., 1s.; 5 in., 1s. 2d.; 6 in., 1s. 6d.; 7 in., 1s. 9d.; 8 in., 2s. each
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64	" Onion, with short handle	1s. 6d. each
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	" " set in wood case	3s. each
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SPECIALLY INTRODUCED FOR THE CULTIVATION OF SWEET PEAS.

The whole idea of these seed raisers is to enable the gardener to grow a much larger number of seeds in a much smaller space, and under better conditions than he can do with the old-fashioned earthen pot.

The seed raiser is collapsible and made of cardboard, absolutely free from any injurious acids. Each raiser is 1½ inches across, and 4½ inches deep, and forty-eight of these seed raisers exactly fit into one wooden box, which forms the whole outfit.



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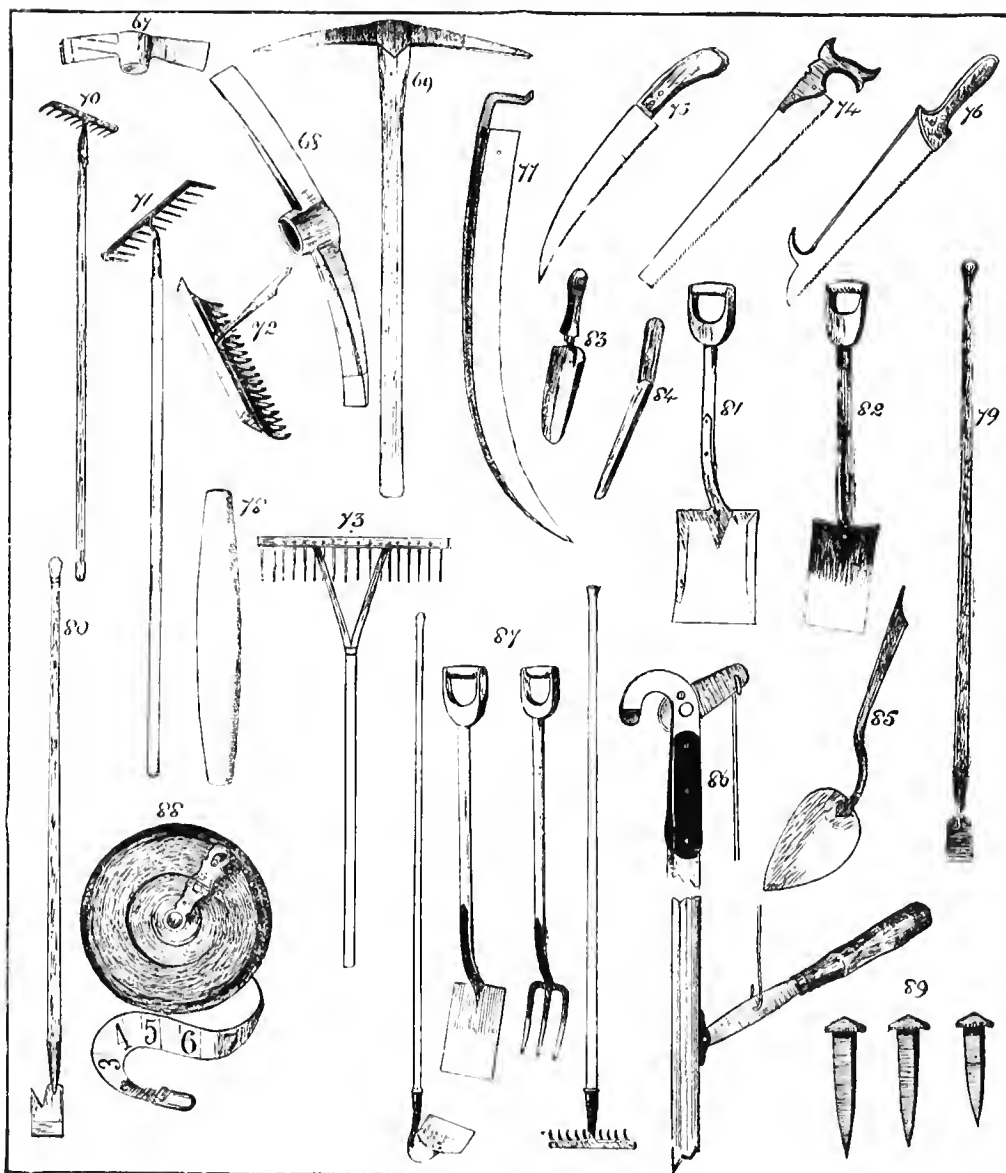
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No. 10.	"Planet Jr." Double Wheel Hoe Cultivator, Plough, Rake, &c., complete	2 7 6
	"	with Hoes only	1 10 0
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	"	complete	1 1 0
	"	with Hoes only	1 1 0

Complete List of "Planet Jr." Machines on application.

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For Private Gardens, Club Grounds, Lawns, &c.

						With 2 Standards.			With 3 Standards.			
						4 ft. 6 in.	5 ft.	5 ft. 6 in.	6 ft.	7 ft.	8 ft.	s. d.
						s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	
With Arms	26 0	27 0	28 0	32 6	35 6	38 0	
Without Arms	24 0	25 0	26 0	30 6	33 6	36 0	
Folding Chairs	s. d.
" " with Arms	6 9
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				s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Carters Special Peruvian Guano , sealed tins 1s.; 7 lbs. 3s. 0d.				4 6	7 6	12 6	20 0
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Carters Pure Bone Meal 1s.; 7 lbs. 2s. 0d.				3 6	6 0	9 0	14 6
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Carters Superphosphate of Lime (35% Sol.) 7 lbs. 1s. 3d.				2 0	3 6	6 0	10 0
Carters Complete Grass Manure (No. 1) 1s.; 7 lbs. 2s. 6d.				4 6	7 6	12 6	20 0
Carters Anticlover Manure (No. 2) 1s.; 7 lbs. 3s. 0d.				5 0	8 0	13 6	21 0
Chrysanthemum Manure tins, 1s.; per bag of 7 lbs., 3s. 6d.				6 0	11 0	20 0	—
Thompson's Vine Manure 6d., 1s., 2s., 3s. 6d.				—	6 0	10 0	20 0
Standen's Concentrated Manure 1s., 2s. 6d., and 5s. 6d.				—	7 6	12 6	20 0

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Abol Insecticide in tins, ½-pint, 1s.; pint, 1s. 6d.; quart, 2s. 6d.; ½-gallon, 4s.; gallon 7 6	
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Carters Finest Hellebore Powder for destroying Caterpillars, &c. tins, each, 6d. and 1 0	
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Distributors for above, each 1s. 6d.; Distributors , filled with Daisy Killer for trial each 2 0	
Carters Finest Quassia Chips per lb. 0 6	
Carters Selected Roll Tobacco Paper or Tobacco Cloth per lb., 1s., 7 lbs. 5 9	
Cirengal , a concentrated form of Quassia metal tubes, each 0 6	
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Packets for trial, post free, 1s.; 14 lbs., 3s.; 28 lbs., 5s.; ½-cwt., 7s. 6d.; 1 cwt., 12s. 6d.; per ton, £10 10s —

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Fir Tree Oil Insecticide ½-pints, 1s. 6d.; pints, 2s. 6d.; quarts, 4s. 6d.; ½-gal., 7s. 6d.; 1 gal. 12 6	
Gishurst Compound Insecticide boxes, each, 1s. and 3 0	
Insecticide Sheets for 1,000 cubic ft., each 0 8	
Insecticide Vapour Cones , for fumigating purposes each, 6d., 8d., and 1 0	
Insecticide Fumers small, for 1,000 cubic ft., each, 8d.; large, for 2,000 cubic ft., each 1 0	
Insecticide Lemon Oil pints, 1s. 6d.; quarts, 2s. 9d.; ½ gallon, 5s.; gallon 9 0	
Insecticide "Niquas," the new Insecticide pints, 1s.; quarts, 1s. 9d.; ½-gallon, 3s.; gallon 5 0	
Nicotine Soap Insecticide jars, each, 6d., 1s., and 2 6	
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Soft Soap , for Paint Washing, &c. in tins, each, 6d., 9d., 1s., and 1 9	
Soft Soap and Quassia Compound in tins, each 0 8	
Sulphide of Potassium , remedy for mildew 8-oz. bottle, each 1 0	
Tobacco Powder tins, each, 6d., 1s., and 2 6	
Tobacco and Insect Powder Distributors , India Rubber each, 6d., 1s. 3d., 1s. 9d., and 2 6	
Soil Fumigants and Insecticides, Apterite, Killgrub, and Vaporite , at advertised prices.	
Weed Killer , McDougall's (non-poisonous) tins, each, 1s., 1s. 6d., 2s., and 2 9	
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tins, 1s., 2s., and 3s.; 14 lbs., 5s.; 28 lbs., 8s. 6d.; 56 lbs., 12s.; cwt. 20 0	

Weed Killers, for garden paths. Orders booked for these and delivered direct from Works at advertised prices.

"XL all" Vaporising Compound.

Liquid.	No. 1	20/- post free.	Dry Cake.	No. 1 box	40 cakes, 20/- post free.
"	" 2	10/6 "	"	" 2	20 " 10/6 "
"	" 3	5/6 post 6d.	"	" 3	10 " 5/6 "
"	" 4	2/10 " 6d.	"	" 4	5 " 2/10 post 2d.
"	" 5	1/2 " 3d.	"	" 5	2 " 1/2 " 2d.
"	" 6	0/8 " 2d.	Fumigator complete with lamp and wick		1/9 and 2/-

A Complete List of Horticultural Implements and Garden Sundries to be had on application.

CARTERS GARDEN HOSE, PIPE, SYRINGES, &c.

Patent Moulded Seamless Hose (Fig. C).—

			s.	d.		s.	d.
$\frac{1}{2}$ in. 3-ply ...	...	60-ft. coils	28	0	half-coil	15	0
$\frac{3}{4}$ in. 3-ply ...	...	60-ft. coils	34	0	half-coil	18	0
$\frac{1}{2}$ in. 3-ply ...	...	60-ft. coils	40	0	half-coil	22	0
1 in. 3-ply ...	...	60-ft. coils	54	0	half-coil	29	0

Red or Grey Rubber Garden Hose (Fig. D), 60-ft. lengths, with Branch Pipe, Rose, and Jet, with self-acting tap union (special line) ... 3-ply, $\frac{1}{2}$ in., 25s. 6d.; $\frac{3}{4}$ in., 27s. 6d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ in., 35s.; 1 in. 45s. 0

Vulcanised India-Rubber Delivery Hose, for very High Pressure. This is made in 60-ft. coils, but can be cut to any length required—

	Inches	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{3}{4}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{3}{4}$	$\frac{1}{2}$	$\frac{3}{4}$
2-ply, per 60 ft. coil	...	30/-	...	36/6	...	42/6	...
3-ply, per 60 ft. coil	...	36/6	...	43/-	...	52/-	...



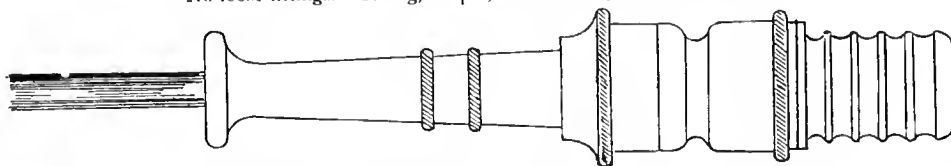
Fig. C.

Fig. D.
Hose Coils, with Branch Pipe and Tap Union complete.

Owing to the unsteady state of the Rubber Market the prices of Hose are subject to **alteration**, and **without notice**.

THE COMBINATION HOSE BRANCH AND NOZZLE.

Produces either a fine or coarse spray or jet stream of water, which can be readily shut off when desired. No loose fittings. Strong, simple, and cannot get out of order.



Fitted with unions for either $\frac{1}{2}$ in., $\frac{3}{4}$ in., or $\frac{1}{2}$ in. hose, price 3s. each.

Hose Reels	(to hold 60 ft. $\frac{1}{2}$ in. or $\frac{3}{4}$ in.)	japanned, 3s. 6d.; galvanized	4 6
"	(to hold 60 ft. $\frac{3}{4}$ in. or 120 ft. $\frac{1}{2}$ in.)	5s. 6d.; "	6 6
"	(to hold 60 ft. 1 in. or 120 ft. $\frac{3}{4}$ in.)	7s. 6d.; "	8 6

Other sizes in proportion.

Unions for India-rubber Hose, medium quality, per pair, $\frac{1}{2}$ in., 8d.; $\frac{3}{4}$ in., 1s.; $\frac{1}{2}$ in., 1s. 3d.; 1 in. 1 6

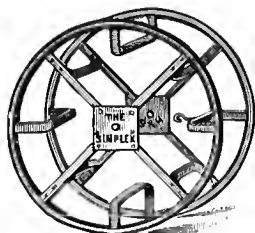
High-pressure Screw-down Bib Cocks, with Unions on noses for hose, $\frac{1}{2}$ in., 2s. 9d.; $\frac{3}{4}$ in., 3s. 6d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ in., 4s. 7d.; 1 in. 7 6

Improved Branch Pipes, with Roses, Jets, and Stop Cocks; or with Spreaders and

Stop Cocks

With Bottom Screws ... $\frac{1}{2}$ in., 4s. 6d.; $\frac{3}{4}$ in., 5s. 6d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ in., 7s.; 1 in. 10 9

Without Bottom Screws ... $\frac{1}{2}$ in., 2s. 6d.; $\frac{3}{4}$ in., 3s. 6d.; $\frac{1}{2}$ in., 4s. 6d.; 1 in. 6 0



Royle's Pattern Tap Unions ... each, $\frac{1}{2}$ in., 9d.; $\frac{3}{4}$ in., 1s.; $\frac{1}{2}$ in., 1s. 6d.; 1 in. 2 6

Syringes, best quality ... each, 12 x 1 in., 6s. 6d.; 16 x $1\frac{1}{2}$ in., 7s. 6d.; 18 x $1\frac{1}{2}$ in. 12 0

with Read's Ball Valve ... each, 18 x $1\frac{1}{2}$ in., 17s.; 20 x $1\frac{1}{2}$ in. 21 0

The "Nesthill" Spray Syringe, fitted with angle bend. For the economical distribution of Disinfectants and Insecticides, each 20 x $\frac{1}{2}$ in., 8s.; 20 x 1 in., 9s. 6d.; 20 x $1\frac{1}{2}$ in., 10s. 6d. Without bend, each 20 x $\frac{1}{2}$ in., 7s.; 20 x 1 in., 8s. 3d.; 20 x $1\frac{1}{2}$ in. 9 0

The "Abol" Syringe ... 14 x 1 in., 8s. 6d.; 20 x 1 in., 10s. 6d.; 20 x $1\frac{1}{2}$ in. 14 6

Bends of these Syringes, 1s. 6d. each extra.

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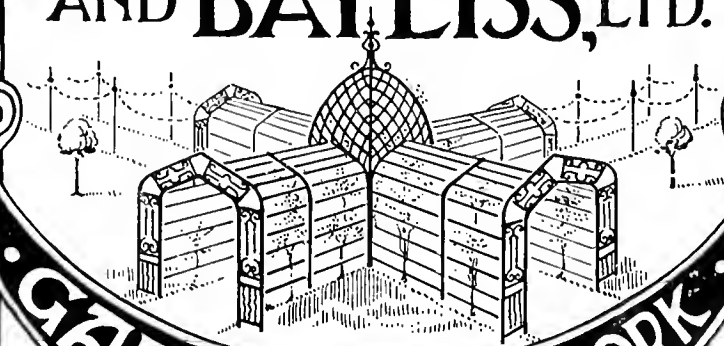


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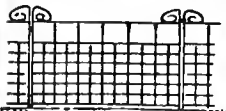
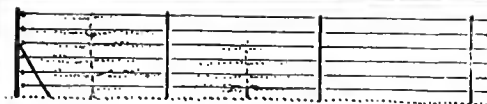
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